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The Morning's Hews in The Times

IN BRIEF.

The City-Pages 3, 5, 6, 7, 8, 10. Horseman encounters a trolley car Park work The Seventh Regiment's new armory....Oil men will appeal to the courts....Some musical treasares Sermons in the churches. Pacific Const-Pages 1, 2.

men win the 100-mile run, and the saulted for endeavoring to protect a Spain.... Hot fire at Cincinnati. woman...A seventeen-year-old girl Southern California-Page 9. akes poison.

By Cable-Pages 1, 2.

Forty wounded die at Canea-Mosdans-Plans of the powers for the play....Large shipments of celery from withdrawal of troops-A hitch in the Orange county Covina's good roads way of a blockade London speculat- movement Chino's beet crop Pas-Rain in India's provinces....Peru re- Flesta. eases Sailor Ramsay.

Wenther Forecast. SAN FRANCISCO, April 4.-For iresh, generally westerly winds,

General Eastern-Pages 1, 2. Two more big breaks in the Missis-

and disaster....Progress of Elysian sippi levees....A busy week for the national Senate.... A mother and two daughters shot by a crazy man... Forecast of the elections in Michigan and Illinois Capt. Doherty, who captured J. Wilkes Booth, dead....Demo-Hill gets control of the Northern Pa- Pops of Kansas hatching a scheme to sific Railway....The Bay City Wheel- tax "inordinate wealth".. Capture of a tug assisting in a Cuban expeditiontilver trophy....An Oakland man as- Gen. Rivera's life ordered spared by

Santa Barbara opens the season with a ball....Golf player at San Diego struck by a rattlesnake A San Berems mutilate the corpses of Chris- nardino rancher's successful gun we markets steady, despite the war.... adena's famous club preparing for La

At Large-Pages 1, 2.

Dispatches were also received from New York, Philadelphia, St. Joseph, Southern California: Fair Monday; Athens, London, Washington and other places.

Moslems Mutilate the Christian Dead.

Forty More of the Wounded at Canea Succumb.

A Mysterious Hitch Postpones the Blockade.

to Greece—The Porte Trying to Raise a Loan to Buy Cannon— Danish Royalty Upholda George.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS WIRE.] LONDON, April 4.—[By Atlantic Ca-ble.] A dispatch to the Standard from Canea will say tomorrow that all Saturday night Canea resounded with the lamentations of Moslem women. Nine-teen bodies were buried during the day. Today (Sunday) forty men, who were among the wounded, have suc-cumbed. The Christian dead had their noses and ears clipped by the Mos-

Col. Crefell has had an interview with the insurgent chiefs in the vicinity of Candia. He was extremely well received, and left amid cheers for Europe and autonomy. Fighting continues daily in the outskirts of Candia. Yes-terday the Greeks attempted to land a force on the south coast of the island, but were prevented. A MYSTERIOUS HITCH.

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A MYSTERIOUS HITCH.

LONDON, April 4.—The Daily Chronicle will print the following tomorrow from its Athens correspondent:

"At 11 o'clock this (Sunday) evening word reaches here that a hitch has occurred. France had agreed to the blockade of the Gulf of Athens. The admirals were discussing the details today, and suddenly the whole matter is again adjourned for several days, while M. Hanotaux produces his mysterious plan. The French Minister has assured King George that there is no immediate prospect of a blockade, and he has begged him not to take action. Nobody here has the slightest notion of what the hitch is."

The Daily New's Copenhagen correspondent will say tomorrow: "The consultations between the members of the Danish royal family have resulted in a resolution to uphold the present dynasty in Greece. The Dowager Czarina will remain here until the and of the month. A special cipher telegraphic service has been established by tween Copenhagen and St. Petersburg. It is believed that the Dowager Czarina has succeeded in inducing the Czarina bas succeeded in inducing the Czarina has s

PLANNING THE WITHDRAWAL. LONDON, April 4.-The Times will

LONDON, April 4.—The Times will tomorrow publish the following dispatch from its Athens correspondent:

"The crisis of the situation is the presence of Col. Vassos and his army in Creie. The powers insist on withdrawal, but neither King George nor the government cares to comply. It is believed, however, that the difficulty may be surmounted in the following, way: The first step would be the withdrawal of the Turkish forces from Crete. This would not only remove the suspicions of the Cretans, but would make it possible for Col. Vassos's army to return from Crete with a certain amount of prestige. The prior retirement of the Turkish army would be more offensive to the Sultan's amour propre than the simultaneous discharge occurred. The range was very short, and the rattle or the maketry developed into a regular roar.

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be reached would be one concerning him and them exclusively."
"The order for the recall of the Greek army from the frontier would immediately follow. Greece, having thus abandoned her contumacious attitude, the powers might entrust her with a mandate to occupy Crete in the name of the Sultan, as when Austria received a mandate from Europe to occupy Bosnia and Herzegovnia. Thus legally empowered, Greece could send an army under a commander to Crete to occupy the interior of the island, while the international occupation supports might continue until these measures had been taken for the reparation or possibly the emigration of the Mohammedan refugees. Eventually the Greek occupancy would become general, the powers having in the meantime decided upon the form of a new constitution, with such guarantees as might be demanded by Europe for the protection of Mohammedan minority, which would be readily accorded by Ggeece." The Times will tomorrow publish a

dispatch from Vienna, which says: "At least one power will not agree to a direct understanding between Turto a direct understanding between Tur-key and Crete, though it may be confi-dently stated that the powers would regard it as an acceptable issue out of the present imbroglio. Both the Porte and Greece will receive one more warning against a_disturbance of the peace. This warning may be followed by a notification that in the event of hostilities the aggressor will not be alhostilities the aggressor will not be al-lowed to reap the advantage of event-

ual victory.

"In the case of the Turks this might seem almost superfluous, as in any circumstances they can make nothing by war, but it might serve to check the belicose enthusiasm of the Greeks. The question of appointing a Governor of the island has been referred to the Ambassador at Constantinople. The suggestion that he could be the Italian Admiral has been abandoned. The next move is likely to be a proclamation by the admirals to the Cretans, intimating that the only obstacle to pacification is the presence of Col. Vassos and the Greek troops. It will be made clear to them that their present misfortunes are chiefly due to armed intervention of Greece. It is evidently hoped that if the Cretans can only be convinced of these facts, half the task of the powers will be accomplished." "In the case of the Turks this might

The correspondent of the Times at Canea will say tomorrow: "Six Christians were killed and eleven wounded on Saturday. The bodies of the dead were savagely mutilated by Mussulmans. The garrison of Canea was under arms all night and day and strictly patrolled because of fears of incendiarism. The blockade of the island continues to be enforced closely.

"Aiready complaints are coming in

that signs are not wanting of loss of hope by the insurgents in some places. In these districts the speedy end of the present unsettled disastrous situation would be halled with rejoicing. A majority of the Christians wish for annexation. They attribute the cause of the present struggle to the Porte, and therefore desire to sever all connections with the Sultan, but in the minds of many whose judgment can be relied upon, autonomy under international guarantee is the best form of government the powers can confer upon the islanders."

The Dally Mail will publish temorrow a dispatch from Rome saying that private telegrams received there confirm the report that Col. Vassos has been promoted by King George to the rank of general.

The correspondent of the Dally Mail

of general.

The correspondent of the Dally Mail at Larissa savs it is the general belief there that if no advance is made by the Greek troops on Elassone, by Tuesday next, the whole affair will end in a fizzle.

According to the Athens correspondent of the Daily News, the conviction is increasing there, as the national fete draws near, that nothing of importance will occur. The decorations and illuminations of all the public buildings and of many private residences have been arranged for. In consequence of a diminution of the prison guards, in order to send the men to the frontier, a hundred convicts have escaped from the prison at Chalir. Most of them are murderers or long-service criminals.

DISARMING BASHI-BAZOUKS

Stubbornness Manifested a

the Village of Killani.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS WIRE.]

CANEA, April 4.—[By Atlantic Cable.] The actual work of disarming the bashi-bazouke began early this morning, and has c atinued through the day. At the village of Killani they refused to deliver up their arms, and demanded an order from the Governor of the island and the personal presence of Edhem Pasha. The foreign troops then cordoned the village, and the Austrian colonel, who was in command, ordered the search for arms should begin, when Edhem Pasha ar-rived. Then the cordon closed around the bashi-bazouks, who yielded quietly. In spite of the orders of the admirals, the Turkish authorities refused to re-lease three Greeks who were captured at Akrotiri.

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9:50 p.m.:—The European troops
guard the gates of the town. The
Arab quarter also is surrounded by
European pickets. A proclamation has
been issued announcing that all who
refuse to yield up their arms will be
shot. In response to this only 100
persons have, as yet, surrendered their
arms.

arms.

The insurgents have succeeded in exploding heavy dynamite cartridges upon the walls of the fort at Kissimo. THE POPE'S GOOD OFFICES.

PARIS, April 4.—The Gaulois reports today that the Pope intends to intervene between the powers and Greece with a view to effecting, if possible, a peaceful solution of the Cretan difficulty.

LAST SATURDAY'S FIGHT. The Turks Stopped to Talk Before Letting Their Guns Off. [BY ASSOCIATED PRESS WIRE.]

LONDON, April 4.- [By Atlantic Cable.] The Canea correspondent of the Daily News, describing last Saturday's fight, will say tomorrow:

"The Moslems advanced to within 200 yards of the Christians at Akrotiri and began to parley with the lead-

ulars ought to have been done long ago, for the Moslems were beginning to think that Europe had sent the Euroto think that Europe had sent the European force simply to support them against the Christians. The only regretable thing is that the men-of-war did not shell the Moslems when they attacked the Christians, just as they have been shelling the insurgence." have been shelling the insurgents.

PRAISING THE MOSLEMS. LONDON, April 4.-All the foreign correspondents concur in praising the splendid physique, discipline and posispienda physique, discipline and posi-tion of the Turkish troops on the Greek border, Their only weak posi-tion is opposite Trea. The Greek army is exceedingly enthusiastic, but defi-cient in discipline. Its positions are much weaker than the Turkish. The correspondent of the Morning Post correspondent of the Morning to the thinks the Turks ought to take Larissa

correspondent of the Morning Post thinks the Turks ought to take Larissa in two days.

The Times correspondent had an interview with the Turkish marshal at Elassona, who made a strong impression upon him as a military tactician. His conclusion is that if war breaks out it will be in consequence of the raids of irregular bands of the Greeks organized in Thessaly. The Turkish army is ready to act according to orders and circumstances. From what the Times correspondent saw, he thinks a rising in Macedonia very improbable. The peasants are quiet and busy with the transportation of the Turkish troops. Greece is evidently relying upon the rapid movements of her field artillery. All the Greek infantry is weak in drill.

TRADES UNIONS WILL DONATE.

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A RUSSIAN WARNING. ST. PETERSBURG, April 4.-The Journal de St. Petersburg (semi-official) Journal de St. Petersburg (semi-official) says: "The aggressive and progressive attitude that Greece maintains with such deplorable obstinacy, compels the blockade of the Gulf of Athens, Greece, by keeping Col. Vassos in Crete, is exposing the Cretans to all the disadvantages of a blockade there. She frustrates the restoration of peace; she prevents the powers from learning the real wishes of the inhabitants of Crete, which can only be ascertained by the powers after the removal of the influence of an interested pressure. "The reports of the consuls in Crete and of the admirals of the international fleets show the utter impossibil-(CONTINUED ON FIFTH PAGE.)

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The Senate Will Have Plenty to Do.

Bankruptcy and Appropriation Bills Demand Attention.

Arbitration and the Tariff Will Occupy Time.

Errors and a Duplication in the Sundry Civil Bill-The House to Adjourn from Time to Time with no Particular Business.

IBY ASSOCIATED PRESS WIRE.1 WASHINGTON, April 4.-The Bank ruptcy Bill will be given first place in the Senate programme next week, but it will give way to the appropria-tion bills after Tuesday, if the Committee on Appropriations reports them as is expected and urges its consideration. Senator Lindsay will open the debate upon the Bankruptcy Bill, in its favor, and it is presumed that Senator Nelson will follow in opposition.

The appropriation bills will excite or less debate when taken up, but they are scheduled to pass with comparatively few changes. There has been an effort on the part of some members of the House to impress the Senate with the importance of pass-ing these bills as sent over from the House without any change whatever. This suggestion is resented, especially by the Appropriations Committee, by the Appropriations Committee, which is determined to make some changes if only for the purpose of demonstrating the Senate's independence of the House. A few modifications, however, are absolutely necessary. It appears that there is an error of \$100,-000 in the calculation of totals in the Sundry Civil Bill and that one appropriation for a public building is dupli-cated. The committee also will restore the provision for opening the Uncom-pangre Indian Reservation in the In-dian Bill, but will allow only one claim

the provision for opening the Uncompangre Indian Reservation in the Indian Bill, but will allow only one claim of Gilsonite to each individual, and not two, as heretofore reported.

The Uncompangre matter and question of revoking President Cleveland's order for the forestry reservation in the West will occasion debate. The committee will probably make no recommendation in this matter, though there is a possibility that it may be transferred from the Sundry Civil to the General Deficiency Bill. The Senators from the States affected will make an effort on the floor of the Senate to have the provision in regard to this matter restored rs it originally passed the Senate.

The outlook is that the week will not be a busy one and that the day's sessions will be short. Many Senators will be absent. The Finance Committee will press forward its investigation of the Dingley Tariff Bill, and the various parties will continue their efforts to reach an understanding on the organization of the Senate committees. Some attention may be given to the arbitration treaty in executive session, but there will not be any effort to get a vote on during the week. Senator Elkins will speak Monday on his bill for discriminating duties on goods carried in American vessels.

The House, in pursuance of the waiting policy mapped out by the leaders, adjourned yesterday until Wednesday, and on that day will immediately adjourn again for three days, the constitutional limit of adjournment without the consent of the Senate. Many of the members have gone home, subject to call in the event they should decide to ask Congress for special legislation for the relief of the Mississippi

ject to call in the event they should be needed. In case the President should decide to ask Congress for special legislation for the relief of the Mississippi flood sufferers, and it is anticipated he may, the proceedings on Wednesday may be more interesting. Any legislation which may be proposed in the present situation would be blocked by a single objection, and while it is not likely that there would be captious opposition to a bill which would appeal so directly to the sympathy of Congress, an objection might be made. This would necessitate a special order from the Committee on Rules for its consideration, and all the attending complications.

FOREIGNERS WATCH THE TARIFF WASHINGTON, April 4.—The foreign embassies and legations in Washington are wetching the negations of the choose, but he did not fire. At last, are watching the progress of the Tariff Bill with great interest, as it vitally affects all commercial relations. Reports are being forwarded to the various for-

Turkey's Washington Mission.

WASHINGTON, April 4.—The State Department has received notice from the Turkish government that it finds it inconvenient to raise the grade of its mission in Washington to that of an embassy on account of the increased expense which would thereby be incurred. This decision of the Turkish government will prevent the President under the existing law, from nominating ex-Secretary John W. Foster as Ambassador to Constantinople, as it is understood was his desire.

Rain in India's Provinces

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CALCUTTA, April 4.—It is officially announced that rain is falling throughout the whole of Northwest Bengal and the provinces of Central and Northern Punjab. Some portions of Central India have also been aided materially by rain, and Bengal is much assisted in cultivation for the next harvest. As a result of this prices show a tendency to fall in the northwest provinces and in Punjab.

RAMSAY'S RECORD.

of the Most Energetic Officer of the Naval Service.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS WIRE.] WASHINGTON, April 4.—Rear-Admiral Francis M. Ramsay, holding the most important office in the naval serv ice, that of chief of the Bureau of Nav-igation, will be retired on account of age tomorrow.

He was born just sixty-two years ago

in Washington, D. C., coming from mil-itary stock, his father having been general in the United States army. He was a graduate of the Naval Academy and his first service was on the frigate St. Lawrence in 1856. During the civil war Lieut. Ramsay distinguished himself by his bravery and integrity in many of the important naval actions, first in the Lower Mississippi and later on the South Atlantic Coast, at Fort Fisher and elsewhere. Commanding the Choctaw his vessel was struck over fifty times by cannon shot in the engagements at Haines's Bluffs. Other engagements in which he distinguished himself were those at Liverpool Landing, Milliken's Bend and up the Yazoo River. At Milliken's Bend his vessel, the Choctaw, turned the fortunes of the day, for it came up just in time to save the Union troops, who were in full retreat and to turn that into an advance. In 1863 Lieutenant-Commander Ramsay, at the early age of 28, took command of the Third division of the Misgeneral in the United States army. He say, at the early age of 28, took com mand of the Third division of the Mis say, at the early age of 28, took command of the Third division of the Mississippi-river squadron, with flag rank, and from that time on he was in the midst of heavy fighting, commanding the expeditions up the Black and Ouachita rivers, into the Atchifalaya country and being connected with the Redriver expedition. Leaving the Mississippi, Lieutenant-Commander Ramsaysaw harder service on the Unadilla at Fort Fisher, Fort Anderson and other forts on Cape Fear River and he was present at the capture of Richmond. In 1865 he was at the Naval Academy and was fleet captain of the South Atlantic station in 1867 and 1868.

After that he was inspector of ordnance at the Washington navy-yard naval attaché to various European legations, commander at the Naval Home, Philadelphia, in charge of the Newport torpedo station, in command of the Trenton on the European station, superintendent of the Naval Academy and a member of the naval examining board. As superintendent of the academy he made his mark by a thorough reorganization, as far as it was possible to do

made his mark by a thorough reorgan-ization, as far as it was possible to do so within the law, to make the course meet the needs of the new navy just

meet the needs of the new navy just coming into existence.

His next important command was that of the New York navy-yard, and from that place he was transferred in 1889 to the Navigation Bureau as chief to succeed Admiral Walker. That he has discharged the manifold and responsible duties of this place with the display of good judgment and fairness was evidenced in his reappointment for another term of four years in 1893, and altogether the retiring admiral has been one of the most progressive and energetic officers in our naval service.

HE CAPTURED BOOTH.

ERTY AT NEW YORK.

Won Distinction in the Union Army but Got His Title Hunting Down President Lincoln's Slayer. Story of the Encounter.

[BY THE TIMES' SPECIAL WIRE.]

NEW YORK, April 4.—[Special Disactch.] The funeral of Maj. Edward P. Doherty, who had command of the expedition which captured John Wilkes Booth, after the assassination of President Lincoln, will be held tomorrow. Maj. Doherty died Saturday. Although by his previous services in the Union cause, he had won distinction, his reputation and his title of major he owed to his connection with the capture of President Lincoln's assassin.

After the assassination of Lincoln,

Col. Baker, a special detective of the War Department, placed Lieut. Doherty in charge of the expedition to follow Booth. He gave the lieutenant twenty-five men from the Sixteenth Cav-alry and several detectives. With these men Doherty proceedd by steamer to Belle Plain, to which place Booth and his accomplice, Hareld, had been traced. The fugitives were found Tuesday night in a barn on the premises of Mr. Garrett, about three miles from Port Royal. They had ridden there from the ferry, both mounted on one horse

The cavalry surrounded the barn and summoned the inmates to surrender. Booth talked with the men for hours through the crevices of the barn, through which he could see plainly ail that were outside, while they could dis-tinguish nothing within. Booth told Lieut. Doherty that he had a bead cinity, and Doherty feared his little par-ty might re overpowered and lose the prisoners, he determined to burn them

dreds of people passing on the Lake Shore drive and while the doctor was walking with one of his most intimate friends, Dr. S. S. Lindsay, also of

friends, Dr. S. S. Lindsay, also of Dubuque.

The two men had reached a point on the drive directly opposite the foot of Fullerton avenue, when Dr Walton, with the expression of an insane man, suddenly ran a short distance ahead, drew a razor and severed his windpipe. He is believed to have been timporarily insane as the result of a recent illness.

Dr. Barrows in India. BOSTON, April 4.—Dr. Jacob Chambertain writes from Mandanapalle, India, to the American Biblical Society that committees of reception formed from all classes and creeds to greet Dr. Barrows, of Chicago, who was president of the World's Parliament of Religion, have secured for him immediate audience in all the large of these

YELLOW RUIN.

Levees Useless Against the Mississippi.

Most Disastrous Break of All Made at Flower Lake.

A Great Area Will be Flooded Near Helena, Ark.

The River Slowly Rising at Mem-phis-Old-timers Expect a Flood Below Vicksburg - High Water All Down the Line.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS WIRE.] MEMPHIS (Tenn.,) April 4.-Another disastrous break in the Missis-sippi levee occurred this morning at 8 o'clock at Flower Lake, six miles south o'clock at Flower Lake, six miles south of Tunica, Miss. The crevasse, while not yet of great width, is fully fifteen feet deep, and the water is pouring through the opening with fearful veloc-ity. This will probably be the most fearfurching brook that has accourred in destructive break that has occurred in

the delta. The most fertile farm lands of Mississippi, lying in Cohoma, Laflore, Quitman and Tallahatchie counties in the northern part of the State, will be in-undated, and the newly-placed corn crops will be laid waste. Fortunately no loss of life is reported, the inhabitants of the stricken section having made preparations for just such a catastrophe as exists there today. The condition of the poorer classes

throughout the flooded area is indeed critical tonight. Thousands of refugees are being huddled on the levees and spots of dry land, waiting for relief. The towns of Rosedale and Tunica re-port that everything is being done for these poor people, but that funds and provisions are fast becoming exhausted. In the little city of Rosedale alone 1200 refugees are being cared for by the citizens. Half a hundred towns to-night stand in six feet of water, and the yellow stream is creeping slowly, but surely.

but surely.

Advices just received tell of a break in the levee two miles south of Helena, Ark. This is the levee for which the people of Southwestern Arksansas have made such a desperate fight. The waters from this break will flood a great area, and in all probability will back up into the streets of Helena. The relief steamer Ora Lee arrived at Marianna, Ark., late this afternoon, having made an expedition up the St. Francis River. There were on board 160 refugees and 200 head of cattle. The steamer went up the St. Francis River as far as Cut-Off, and then worked her way down stream, rescuing people from perilous positions. The River as far as Cut-Off, and then worked her way down stream, rescuing people from perilous positions. The suffering along the St. Francis River is appalling. The water through the entire neighboring country is tonight from six to fifteen feet deep. The relief steamer had on board the body of Mrs. McMain from Ragio City. The body was found at Ragio, and was taken to Marrianna for burial, there being no land at the former place on which to give it interment. The St. Francis is rising from three to five inches daily.

At Memphis tonight, the river is slowly rising again, the gauge registering 36.4 feet. This is a rise of one-tenth. At points below Vicksburg, the river is rising. It is the general opinion of old river men here that if the levees below Vicksburg hold the great volume of water in its regular channel, it will be little short of a miracle.

LIKE NIAGARA FALLS.

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TUNICA (Miss.) April 4.—At 8 o'clock this 'nozning the Flower Lake levee, where it crosses Yellow Bayou, gave way under the tremendous pres-sure of water. The crevasse widened rapidly, and is now 100 yards wide throughout. The water is rushing with

sure of water. The crevasse widened rapidly, and is now 100 yards wide throughout. The water is rushing with a deafening sound that only can be compared to that of Niagara Falls. The leve was twenty feet high at the point where it broke today. The people, not only on the farms near the break, but upon those some distance from the levee back of it, have lost large numbers of cattle.

So rapidly did the crevasse widen that the water rushing through it was sufficient to reach the lake parallel to the Yazoo and Mississippi Valley Railroad at Bushby station, which is five miles east of the break, in a remarkably short space of time, and within an hour had raised the lake eight feet. The water will no doubt be running over the railroad at Bushby and Carnesville before morning. The country affected by this break is one of the finest in the delta. It will cause the submergence of the entire southwestern and south central part of Tunica county.

The flood will pass into Coahoma county, overflowing Lulu and the region around Moon Lake, broadening as it goes. A portion of the current will travel to Coldwater River through the Yazoo Pass, while much of it will travel southward, inundating some of the fairest fields in Coahoma county. Thence it will travel down Cassidy Bayou and Sunflower River, finally reaching Yazoo, traversing almost the entire length of the Yazoo and Mississippi levee district. The river at noon began to fall at Austin, four miles above, and had fallen four inches at 5 p.m.

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During the same time, the river fell one-half of an inch at the Harris farm, eight miles north of the break. Above Austin the levee is from two to three feet above the flood plane, but there are no weak places which threaten immediate danger.

FLOODS ON ALL RIVERS. OMAHA (Neb.,) April 4.-Special tel-OMAHA (Neb.,) April 4.—Special ter-egrams to the Bee from points in South Dakota, Iowa and Nebraska bring word of increased floods on all the rivers. Rain has fallen almost in-cessantly for the last seventy-two hours over an area of more than one hundred miles of a radius from Omaha, the fall being fully four inches for that time. This has greatly increased

the fall being fully four inc that time. This has greatly in that time. This has greatly increased the volume of water in the already swollen streams, and now what were babbling brooks have been transformed into torrents. Thousands of acres farm lands are under from four six feet of running water and ma families have moved from their hom

Along the James River in South Da-

kota a great many farmers had gone back to their homes when the water raceded early last week, and are now caught in this second flood. A Missouri River steamboat has been sent from Yankton to rescue the sufferers along the James. Sloux City reports that the Missouri has passed the danger line there, and it is overflowing the lower part of the city. Cherokee reports the second flood on the Little Sloux worse than the first. Repairs had commenced on the property damaged by the first deluge, but all is being washed away again.

Yankton is cut off from rallroad communication, and most of the telephone and telegraph lines are down. Plerre reports the Missouri clear of ice, but word from Bismarck is that the ice on the upper river began to move tonight. At Omaha the Missouri is still within bounds, but preparations are being made against a dangerous flood.

JIM RIVER'S RAMPAGE.

JIM RIVER'S RAMPAGE. YANKTON (S. D.,) April 4.—Four inches of rain has fallen during the last week and rain is still falling. Jim River, the longest unnavigable river in the world, is now on a rampage. in the world, is now on a rampage covering the bottom lands from bluff to bluff and threatening to wash away the Great Northern, Northwestern and Milwaukee Railroad bridges, which cross the river at this point. Over three miles of each road has been washed out thus far, thus placing Yankton without railroad facilities The river is still rising rapidly here General destruction throughout the Jim River Valley is predicted. Farm ers as a rule have vacated their homes and farms, and those still remaining are now being moved by boats. It is thought here that the worst of the flood is yet to come.

THE RISE AT ST. JOE.

ST. JOSEPH (Mo.,) April 4.—The first alarm was feet here today over the rise of the Missouri River. The the rise of the Missouri River. The stream rose seven-tenths of a foot to-day, and is still climbing. Reports from the country seventy-five miles nouth of here states the Needway, Nishabotna and other streams are all out of their banks. Just south of this city the river is cutting badly, and the Burlington Railroad Company has a large force of men protecting its tracks at Burn's Lake.

THROUGH SOUTHERN OPTICS.

A Picture of the Disaster Whiel Has Overtaken the Delta.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS WIRE.]
NEW ORLEANS, April 4.—The
River here is slowly rising. Today's gauge registers 17.7 feet, one-tenth of a foot above the figure of yesterday Along the entire river front of the Crescent City the vigilance of the au-thorities has not relaxed, although all the levees are apparently in splen

all the levees are apparently in splendid condition, and are able to stand considerable pressure yet.

Reports from Greenville, Miss., state that the weather Sunday was gloriously fine, but the inhabitants of the town were very naturaly in a very depressed state of mind. Skiffs and water craft of all sorts are much in demand and some of the young people, with the levity that often comes with youth, are making merry with boating parties, even in the presence of so great a disaster. The river at Greenville is rising slowly, but the rise of back water is heavy.

The most serious crevasse that has occurred in the Yazoo detta levee district was reported this morning in Turing the standard of the standard was reported they are able to the standard was reported they are able to the standard was reported they are able to the standard was reported this morning in Turing the standard was reported they are able to the standard was reported they are the standard was reported they are the standard was reported they are they ar

trict was reported this morning in Tu nica county, six miles below Austin near Flower Lake. Austin is /the county-seat of Tunica county. Disastrous consequences will follow in its wake, affecting as it does, a superblyware, anecting as it does, a supersys-fertile stretch of territory from Men-phis Bluffs to the Yazoo River, and from the hill lands of Carroll county to the Mississippi River. Coahona county, Sunflower, Holmes and Tallahatchie counties will be affected by this break, and the water will sweep acres of land now planted in cotton

From Natchez, Miss. where last night the river was stationary, comes the report that the water is on the rise, marking an upward change of a tenth of a foot in the twenty-four hours up to 4 o'clock this afternoon. The levees are holding out well. The levees at Helena, Ark., are reported breaking. The following is from that

breaking. The following is from that point:

"The expected has occurred. After weary days and nights of watching, working and waiting, after ighting the flood from without, the wind and rains from above, and the seep-water and the back-water from behind, our levees have gone to pieces. This morning at 7 o'clock the Williamson levee, two miles below this city, gave way at a point 1000 feet north of Long Lake levee.

levee.
"In an incredibly short space of time the crevasse was 250 feet wide. At first it was confined to a depth of about three feet, which is the height of the superficial crown, but gradually it were next the main levee and is now runaway the main levee and is now running through to a depth of eighteen feet, the full depth of the original levee. The Long Lake levee is in great danger. It has a base of about three hundred feet and is forty feet high. It corresponds in size and importance with the Yazoo-pass levee, which is nearly opposite it. If this levee should go it would precipitate a prodigious volume of water on the rich plantations along Long Lake. As it is, the loss is stupendous.

"It is safe to say that over sixty thousand bushels of corn in cribs is lost and damaged by this break, in addition to the great loss of cotton seed, hay, etc. With the exception of two mules and several head of cattle no loss of stock is so far reported. The only loss of life reported is the six-year-old child of Luke and Missouri Maney respected colored people living on the Straub place just below Williamson's. This occurred a short tme after the break was reported.

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"The relief steamer Titan, owned by the government, went back to the Williamson's store, just below the break, and brought up ninety souls from that and adjoining plantations, all of whom were taken in charge by Chairman Butler of the Relief Committee. They will be quartered in the colored Knights of Pythlas Hall tonight and tomorrow they will swell the population of Camp Black. They were fed by the committee tonight, as they had no time to 'save anything. One man who lived 'immediately in front of the break, barely got his wife and six children to the levee, but the only thing they brought from their home was a solitary bed tick filled with straw. The people brought up this evening were those living immediately beyond the levees. Others further back had already gone to the hogs. Tents had been reserved for them in anticipation of a big break at Hubbard's or Fitzhugh's.

"In Helena the excitement is intense. Everybody thought the water would back immediately into the town, and there was great activity in moving household goods and especially in jacking up planos. There were many consultations as to whether the water should be permitted to back into the city or an effort be made to keep it out. In the southern end of the city the Arkansas Midland Railroad's dump forms a splendid levee with only a bingle onening in it, a culvert twenty feet wide, opening to carry off the surface drainage of the city, and this has been closed. Helena will be a dry town despite adverse circumstances, unless the drainage pumps should wrove landequate.

"Trom the effects of the Williamson and Flower Lake breaks, the river fell

whiese the drainage pumps should prove inadequate.

"From the effects of the Williamson London Flower Lake breaks, the river fell six inches here since morning, greatly relieving our leves. But we are not out of danger yet. Another break has occurred. It was at the Hubbard front, just below the Fitzhugh place, at 5 clock this afternoon just as the pressured.

sure was being relieved by reason of the Williamson crevasse. The crevasse the Williamson crevasse. The crevasse is now 300 feet wide, and widening with each hour. The Hubbard break is four miles south of the Williamson crevasse, and five miles north of the Westover crevasse. It simply adds to the volume of water, which is devastating all the inland towns and old town ridge country." town ridge country.

SANK ONLY TO RISE. ST. LOUIS (Mo.,) April 4 .- The Mis ST. LOUIS (Mo.,) April 4.—The Mississippi River at this point receded half a foot between dark and daylight, but this morning the water began to rise again, and tonight the gauge shows 27.5, which was about the stage of the river yesterday evening. The river is now rising rapidly, and on the river front lively preparations are being made against the threatening overflow.

FOUR HUNDRED HOMELESS FAM-FOUR HUNDRED HOMELESS FAM-ILIES.

ST. PAUL (Minn.,) April 4 .- The Mis-ST. PAUL (Minn..) April 4.—The Mississippi River is still rising, and at 7 o'clock tonight registered 17.8 feet, a rise of nearly five inches since last night. The water is still almost two feet below the high-water mark in 1881. Nearly four hundred families living on the flats in West St. Paul have been rendered homeless, and are in a destitute condition, notwithstanding the efforts of the authorities to assist them. Several public buildings have been opened to them for shelter.

LOST IN THE SNOW.

Cattle Perish on the Ranges of Wy oming-People Missing. [BY ASSOCIATED PRESS WIRE.]

DENVER (Colo.,) April 4 .- A speci to the News from Cheyenne says re-ports of losses sustained by cattlemen during the recent storm are coming in slowly. On many of the large ranches it is estimated the losses will ranches it is estimated the losses will range from 5 to 25 per cent of the herd. The snow lies one and a half feet deep in Cheyenne, and from five to six feet in the ravines. Much anxiety is felt for many persons reported miss-The bodies of two of the three John

son brothers, ranch-owners near La Grange, who were lost in the storm, have been recovered. Search is be-ing made for the remaining brother.

WIRE-PULLING ENDED.

LECTION PRELIMINARIES TO GIVE WAY TO THE BALLOTS.

The McKinley Vote in Chicago Will be Cut-Carter H. Harrison Has a Good Show to be Elected Mayor-The Fight in Detroit.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS WIRE.] CHICAGO, April 4.—The fighting reliminary to Tuesday's city election is practically at an end. National is sues have out but little figure in the struggle, local questions having ab-sorbed all the interest. Six candidates are in the field, four of whom have nade an active campaign. They are: Carter H. Harrison, regular Democrat; Judge Nathaniel C. Sears, regular Republican; Washington Hesing, independent gold Democrat; John M. Harlan, independent Republican; J. Irving Pearce and Frank H. Collier, inlependent.

On account of the bitter fight which On account of the bitter fight which has been waged for some time against the "Republican machine" both Hesing and Harlan will undoubtedly draw heavily from the McKinigy vote, although it is impossible to tell whether this virtual splitting up of the Republican vote among the three men will cut into McKinley's large majority sufficiently to result in the election of Harrison, who will have the almost solid free-silver support.

A few threads of this tangle are the indorsement of Harlan by the middle-of-the-road Populists, the support of Sears by two weekly Democratic labor papers and a big row in L.A.W. circles over the issuance of a circular indorsing Harrison by some of its local members.

MICHIGAN ELECTIONS.

The State Campaign Was Quiet bu Detroit's Issues Are Lively. [BY ASSOCIATED PRESS WIRE.]

DETROIT (Mich.,) April 4.-The elec-Michigan tomorrow will wind up a quiet campaign so far as the State lection is concerned. The only State officers to be chosen are one Justice of the Supreme Court and two regents of the University of Michigan. Justice
W. Long, Republican candidate for
Justice, confidently anticipates reelection although George L. Yaple, the
fusion candidate, is expected, to at
least learning the property of the confidence of the confide fusion candidate, is expected, to at least largely lessen the big Republican majorities of last November.

The contest preceding the elections of city and town officers have absorbed most of the attention. The greatest interest prevails throughout the State in the outcome in Detroit for Mayor to succeed ex-Mayor H. S. Pingree, who was ousted from the office by the Supreme Court.

The Republican candidate, Capt. Albert E. Stewart, was selected and recommended to the nominating convention by Gov. Pingree, and he is pledged to follow out the Pingree ideas of reform. William C. Maybury, ex-Congressman and leading attorney, is the Democratio standard-bearer. He is equally pledged to reform measures, but is conservative, compared with the

is conservative, compared with the more picturesque methods of Pingree Both sides confi,dently claim the city.

BLACKMAILED 'Y BOSSES.

Charges That May Figure in Cin

cinnati's Local Election Today.

(BY ASSOCIATED PRESS WIRE.]

CINCINNATI, April 4.—It is believed tonight that here will be trou-ble at the municipal election here to-morrow Charges have been made that certain firms have been blackmailed for funds by agents of "bosses," and an investigation by the State Commissioners and others will follow the election. It is also charged that corruption has been discovered in the proposed construction of new waterworks to cost \$6,600,000. One man has been arrested for falsely registering twenty-six names, and the registration list indicates that there will be many arrests for fraud.

While this election is purely local, it will have such a bearing on the election of members of the Legislature next November that the friends of Mark Hanna and John R. McLean, the candidates for United States Senator, are taking a very active part. Senator Foreker is home assisting the Republican managers. Commissioners and others will follow

A Disreputable Pair Arrested. DENVER (Colo.,) April 4.—A special to the Republican from Santa Fé, N. M., says Gov. Thornton has been notified of the arrest of Manuel Fuentes and Mrs. J. Chacon for the murder of the latter's husband in May, 1896. The woman confessed that Fuentes killed her husband that he might slive with her.

Montenegrans Encounter Albanians

COAST RECORD

BIG RAILROAD DEAL.

HILL BELIEVED TO HAVE THE NORTHERN PACIFIC.

The President of the Great North Now in Berlin Closing Up Necessary Negotiations.

THIS WILL SAVE MILLIONS ONE OF THE MOST EXTENSIVE

Typographical Union Denounce Budd for Closing the Printing Office-Stone-cutter Shot-Suicide of a Confractor.

[BY THE TIMES' SPECIAL WIRE.] TACOMA (Wash.,) April 4.—[Special Dispatch.] Two business men, just from New York, bring news that in Wall street the Northern Pacific Railroad is considered as having already passed under the control of President Hill of the Great Northern Railway. Hill, together with J. Pierpont Morgan, Henry W. Cannon, president of the Chase National Bank, and Samuel Hill, son of James J. Hill, are now in Europe bringing to an end negotiations with the Deutsche Bank of Berlin and other European interests which, with the Hil family, control the securities of both the Great Northern and the Northern

Pacific systems.

Hill's extension from Montana to Puget Sound, built five years ago, has never paid expenses because of the long haul through unproductive territory, and his expensive switchback over the Cascade Mountains. Within sixty days, it is believed, the Great Northern trains will use the Northern Pacific's tracks from Spokane west, including the Tacoma terminals, thus saving several million dollars which must otherwise be spent duplicating tunnel and termibe spent duplicating tunnel and termi-nals. Hill will thus secure one of the greatest railroad combinations ever

DESERTED BY HER LOVER.

Seventeen-year-old Girl Takes Polson at San Francisco

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS WIRE.] SAN FRANCISCO, April 4 .- Seveneen-year-old Emma Griffiths is dy at the Receiving Hospital from effects of a dose of arsenic taken when she thought her sweetheart had

deserted her.
She resides with her parents, and She resides with her parents, and aside from the present affair, has always been a model daughter. Some months ago she met and fell in love with James Strice, then a clerk in Smith's Cash Store. Strice lost his position about three weeks ago, and at about the same time, it is said, his affection for Miss Griffiths began to cool. On one or two occasions the girl saw her erstwhile lover in company with another young lady. Today Strice met Miss Griffiths by appointment, together they went fof a long walk. The young man told the girl that he was going to start for Los Angeles and that she must give him up.

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The girl purchased a small quantity of arsenic and after swallowing the poison went to meet her lover for the last time. She found him at the appointed place, and as they walked the girl told him of the fate of a young friend who had taken poison because her lover had deserted her. Her actions were so strange that young Strice became alarmed and pressed the girl for an explanation She then confessed that she had taken poison.

Strice summoned help and caused the young woman to be taken to the Receiving Hospital, where antidotes were applied, and everything possible done to counteract the effects of the poison. The doctors say they have little hope of her recovery.

DENOUNCING JIMBUDD.

Typographical Union is After the Governor Red Hot. [BY ASSOCIATED PRESS WIRE.]

SACRAMENTO, April 4.—An intense among the printers, book-and pressmen in con-of Governor Bedding sequence of Governor Budd's action in cutting off the appropriation for the State Printing Office, thereby closing that department for the next two years and throwing about one hundred years and intowing about one indicate and fifty men and women out of employment, besides rendering it impossible for State departments to have any printing done. The Typographical, Pressmen's and Bookbinders' unions here all held meetings tonight unions here all near meetings tonight and adopted resolutions fiercely con-demning the action of the Governor and certain San Francisco journals that have indorsed his veto. These or-ganizations say they voice the senti-ments of organized labor throughout the State. The resolutions of the Ty-correspictal Union conclude in these ographical Union conclude in thes

'The school-book combine of the East is interested in closing the State Printing Office, and would spend large sum of money to accomplish that end. Bu

of money to accomplish that end. But that is scarcely a palpable reason why the Governor of California should hold similar views. He files no bond, and is supposed to be above reproach.

"The Typographical Union comes before the people of the State in no whining mood. Union printers lived before James Budd, and will live after him. They have expected nothing at his hands but fair treatment, and that they have not received. In him they have been deceived, and they nereby declare, without fear of refutation, that he is unworthy the confidence and deserves not the respect of union printers or of union men in any walk of life."

Shoemaker John Canning.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS WIRE.] lously wounded this afternoon by John Canning, a shoemaker, in a sacon at Bernal Heights. A dispute arose be-tween them which culminated in bows. Getting the worst of the encounter, Canning drew a revolver and fired at his adversary. The bullet struck Abel in the right side of the neck, making a serious wound. I mmediately after the shooting Canning was arrested.

SUCCESSFUL HELIOGRAPHING.

The Third Brigade's Signal Corps Does Some Great Work. [BY ASSOCIATED PRESS WIRE.] MARYSVILLE, April 4.—The Signal

MARYSVILLE, April 4.—The Signal Corps of the Third Brigade, N.G.C., stationed at Sacramento under command of Lieut. Martin, made an ascent of the south peak of the Marysville buttes today for the purpose of establishing heliographic communication with a corps on Mt. Diablo, ninety-miles distant on an air line. The day on the

buttes and through the entire Sacramento Valley was all that could be asked. The corps on the buttes could readfly discern an outline of Diablo, but the mist which seemed to arise in the neighborhood of Carquinez Straits militated against comm

method.

The corps will make a second effort two weeks from today. If successful, this will establish the world's record for heliographic flashing, the best record heretofore being about seventy-six miles. The militia interest in these experiments are in these experiments are in the experiments. periments seems to increase with each

A CHIVALROUS OARSMAN.

W. R. Miller's Face Assailed Because He Sought to Protect a Woman. [BY ASSOCIATED PRESS WIRE.]

OAKLAND, April 4.-W. R. Miller nad a desperate struggle with three un known men on the estuary this after-noon and was badly beaten. He inter-fered in behalf of a woman who was fered in behalf of a woman who being abused by the men, but was match for his combined adversaries. I was a naval battle, for the men fought from rowboats, and an oar used as a club gave Miler his most serious in-jury, a gash on the face. His assail-ants then rowed away, and all efforts to learn their identity have proved fruitless.

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Miller was out for a spin on the estuary in a light boat, and his attention was attracted to another boat occupied by three men and a woman. He heard loud talk and rowed toward the craft discovering that all three of the men were abusing and threatening the woman. They were using vile language and threatening her with assault. Fearing that the woman would be harmed, Miller interfered and was severely battered for his pains.

TWO SUDDEN DEATHS.

Capitalist Evens and Robert Thom son Felled by Apoplexy.
[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS WIRE.]

SAN JOSE, April 4 .- Amos S. Evans his home in East San José today. He leaves a widow, two sons, who reside in Ohio, and a daughter, Mrs. Colfus.

Death was due to apoplexy.

Robert Thompson died suddenly at
Mountain View today of apoplexy. He was a native of Ireland, and came to California nineteen years ago.

SACRAMENTO, April 4.—Benjamir Labs, a street contractor and promi-nent citizen, was found dead in his house today, having severed the arte-ries in one of his arms and bled to death during the absence of his wife

TO TAX GREAT WEALTH

DEMO-POPS OF KANSAS HAVE A

Ex-Lieut.-Gov. Daniels Heading Proposition Taking Like Ho

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS WIRE.] TOPEKA (Kan..) April 4.-Ex-Lieut Gov. Percy Daniels has succeeded in interesting most of the leading Democratic-Populist statesmen of Kansa in an organisation, the object of which is to operate a bureau of information concerning his scheme to tax inordi nate wealth, and ultimately to secur an amendment to the Federal Consti-tution, giving Congress the power to levy such a tax. The names of some of those who belong to the associa-tion follow: Frank Doster, Chief Justice Supreme Court: S. H. Allen, As oclate Justice Supreme Court; David Overmeyer, Democratic leader; J. W Overmeyer, Democratic leader, J.
Leedy, Governor; William Stryker,
Superintendent Public Instruction; A.
M. Harvey, Lieutenant-Governor; W.
M. Campbell, Raliroad Commissioner;
John Martin, ex-United States Senator; L. C. Boyle, Attorney-General;
D. H. Hefflebower, State Treasurer;
W. E. Bush, Secretary of State; W. P.
Dillard, Railroad Commissioner; J. D.
Bodkin, Congressman-elect; W. D.
Vincent, Congressman-elect; W. D.
Vincent, Congressman-elect; W. A.
Peffer, ex-United States Senator.

The organization is now working on
a plan to arouse public interest all
over the county on this subject. The
Kansas Legislature took up the question at its recent session and adopted
a resolution asking Congress to submit a proposition to amend the Federal Constitution providing for tax
on inordnnate wealth to a vote of
the people. The legislatures of all Leedy, Governor; William Stryker Superintendent Public Instruction; A

on inordnnate wealth to a vote of the people. The legislatures of all other States will be asked to adopt similar resolutions. The promoters of the idea do not expect to accomplish the object sought immediately, but believe that he proposer management

the object sought immediately, but believe that by proper management the people might get a cha ce at such a proposition in 1990.

The correspondence throughout various sections of the country is already coming to be enormous. The promoters of this latest scheme are laboring under the impression that it will have a big run. They look for local organizations to spring up throughout the country and make a national organization that will sweep the country as zation that will sweep the country as the Farmers' Alliance did the West a few years ago.

"COMMITTEE OF FIFTY."

An Organization to Investigate th Drink Problem. [BY ASSOCIATED PRESS WIRE.]

BOSTON, April 4.—Many references have been made in newspapers during the last three years to a "Committee of fifty for the investigation of the drink problem," but the public for the most part has a very vague notion about this mysterious body, and the people most concerned with temperance reform are wondering what relation the

people most concerned with temperance reform are wondering what relation the new organization proposes to hold to their work.

The committee is not a new agent in temperance agitation, does not propose to take any direct part in reform being simply an organization in the interest of research. Its work is conducted by four sub-committees on different aspects of the problem, physiological, legislative, ethical and economic. Nothing of the same nature has been attempted in this country.

"It is not expected," said Charles Dudley Warner, "that any organization or any national power can suddenly or radically change the habits of the world. But wise and practical endeavors can mitigate almost any evil under the sun; can produce a public opinion that operates in the right direction. The first requisite in any social problem is to throw light upon it, and this is the humble office of the Committee of Fifty."

MEW YORK, 'April 4.—Mrs. John Prell, wife of a prominent brickmaker of Haverstraw, has entered suit against Mrs. James Scott, a wealthy widow of that place, whose husband was a brick manufacturer, for \$50,000 for the alienation of her husband's affections. Yesterday the fact was developed that Mr. Prell is now in North Dakota seeking a divorce from his wife, and the present suit is one of the side issues connected with the divorce prosesses the suit is one of the side issues connected with the divorce prosesses with the divorce

SPORTING RECORD.

HUNDRED-MILE RUN

BAY CITY WHEELMEN TAKE THE SILVER TROPHY.

Important Cycling Event or Pacific Coast Made in the Fastest Time Known.

RELIANCE BEATS ACME IN.

IMMENSE CROWD WITNESSES BOTE START AND FINISH.

California Associated Cycle Clubs ever from the L.A.W.—Prosecuting Attorney Jones Said to Have Extorted Money.

IBY ASSOCIATED PRESS WIRELI

SAN FRANCISCO, April 4.- The Bay City Wheelmen won the annual 100-mile inter-club road race, and as this makes the third successive victory for the Bay Citys, the handsome silver trophy now becomes the property of that club. The annual relay race is the most important cycling event on the Pacific Coast. The course extends Pacific Coast. The course extends around the bay, from San Francisco to Oakland, a distance of 100 miles. Each club participating enters ten riders and each rider goes ten miles. This year ten clubs entered teams, making in 4h. 49m. 39s., breaking all previous records. The time last year was 4h. 56m. 23s. The Bay Citys finished a mile ahead, with Reliance second, a wheel ahead of Acme.

Up to the last relay the race was remarkably close, Bay City, Olympic, Reliance and Acme being close together, but in the ninth relay the Olympic ride but in the ninth relay the Olympic rider ran over a dog, and that settled the chances of his club. Kenna, the fastest amateur on the Coast, rode the last relay for the Bay Citys, and he ran away from his competitors. An immense crowd witnessed both start and finish. The end this year was not so exciting as last year, when the first four clubs finished in a bunch. The following clubs entered teams:

California Cycling Club, Garden City Cyclers, San Francisco Road Club, Olympic Club Wheelmen, Reliance Club Wheelmen, Imperial Cycling Club, Capital City Cyclers, Bay City Wheelmen, Alameda Cyclers, Acme Club Cyclers.

Capital City Cyclers, Bay City Wheelmen, Alameda Cyclers, Acme Club Cyclers.

As for individual performances, the fastest time did not equal that of last year. This time it was made on the fifty relay by E. J. Smith of the Acmes, in 25:52, while last year it was made on the third by Lefevre of the same club in 24:35. The second relay was ridden much faster this time, as were also the eighth, ninth and tenth. As usual, protests galore are being threatened, the Olympics taking the initiative in protesting the Bay Citys on account of Krafts being said to have accepted a pace on the ninth relay. The Olympics, Reliance and Capital Citys, each furnish evidence to this effect, which, if proven, will deprive the winners of the trophy. Krafts is acknowledged to, be the, best unpaced man on the Coast, and from the fact that, it, is a very difficult matter for him to follow a pace successfully, it is the prevailing opinion that the protests will not hold. The fastest performances by relays are as follows:

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First, E. J. Birdsall, Californias, 29:55; second Theodore Schleuter, Acmes, 27:00; third; B. Noonan, Bay Citys, 27:00; Fourth, E. F. Russ, Olympics, 28:22; fifth, C. E. Smith, Acmes, 25:72; sixth, J. S. Eagan, Imperials, 20:00; seventh, Ed Saunders, Olympics, 28:49; eighth, A. P. Deacon, Reliance, 27:10; ninth, Charles Krafts, Play Citys, 30:00; tenth, J. E. Wing, Olympics, 28:59.

NEW WHEEL ASSOCIATION.

alifornia Associated Cycle Club Sever from the L.A.W. [BY ASSOCIATED PRESS WIRE.]

SAN FRANCISCO, April 4.—The California Associated Cycling Clubs, at a meeting held last night, effected an organization which practically severs their connection with the League of American Wheelmen.

A constitution and by-laws were adopted, officers were elected and the clubs officially assumed control of the track and road racing in the State of California. The new organization differs in se

eral important particulars from the national league. Professionals are not excluded from membership, clubs are permitted to pay expenses of members participating in races for club trophies, in which the rider has no personal interest, and the League of American Wheelmen rules suspending members pending investigation are

sonal interest, and the League of American Wheelmen rules suspending members pending investigation are not included.

The constitution also provides for individual membership, the fee of which will be \$1 per annum, with no initiation fee until after January 1, 1898, when \$1 will be charged. Club membership will cost \$10.

"Any white person of good character over the age of 18 years," is the constitutional description of eligibility. J. F. Coffey tried hard to have the word "male" inserted, saying that he objected to ladies in a bicycling organization. The fair members, however, had numerous champions to fight their cause, and Coffey's suggested amendment was defeated.

A. P. Swain was elected president of the new organization, J. F. Hancock treasurer and Stanley G. Scovern secretary.

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The following clubs were represented at the meeting: Acme Club Wheelmen, Alameda Cyclers, Bay City Wheelmen, California Cycling Club, Capital City Wheelmen, East Oakland Wheelmen, Garden City Cyclers, Imperial Cycling Club, Golden Gate Cycling Club, Mountain View Cyclers, Olympus Cyclers, Pathfinder Bicycle Club, Reliance Wheelmen and San Francisco Road Club.

THE CINCHER CINCHED.

Dan Stuart Said to Have Bee

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[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS WIRE.]

CARSON (Nev.,) April 4.—The Federal grand jury which meets tomorrow is pronounced to be one of the most important meetings of that body ever held in this State. The case of Charles Jones, the incumbent Federal Prosecuting Attorney, for alleged assault upon Sam Davis, editor of the Appeal, will a probably be the first case presented. Jones has been arrested and is at liberty on bonds to appear tomorrow.

CRUISER VESUVIUS CAPTURES

Bullion Bank, and an examination of it will show who cashed it. It is argued that if Jones had a legal right to stop the fight, he was derelict in his duty not to have done so, and if he had no legal right to interfere, his receipt of money under threats to invoke a law which did not exist, was wrong.

The case of Trembore Coffin, the attorney in the mint case, charged with having corrupted witnesses in the above case, will probably be talked over in the juryroom. Coffin was indicted some months ago, but when the case came to an issue, the indictment was quashed on a technicality and thrown out of court. It was this that aggravated the Jones assault; Davis having accused the attorney through the paper of being under the influence of the mint ring. he Latter Vessel Found at Mid-

STEAMER BERMUDA SIGNALS.

COURSING AT INGLESIDE.

Capt. Butler's Susle and W. Kay'

teresting canine contests of the sea

Capt. T. Butler's Susie carried away the first prize and W. Kay's Eclipse was a close second. The hares did

not run as strongly as usual, owing to the fog. John Gray acted as judge and James Gray as slipper.

SWEEPING THE WOODS.

Flames Raving the Heart of the

Healock District, Pennsylvania,
[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS WIRE.]

BELLEFONT (Pa..) April 4.—Forest fires have been raging in the surrounding mountains for forty-eight hours. The flames are sweeping through the middle section of the Nittany Mountains, and in the Seven Mountains, in the heart of the Healock district. Vast

the heart of the Healock district. Vast damage is being done on these timber lands. The approach of the fires to the lumber camps has caused great excitement, and many woodsmen have left their workings. Several bands of fire-fighters are out. endeavoring to confine the fires to the mountains, thus protecting property in the clearings.

SHOT BY A CRAZY MAN.

MRS. W. H. BURKEY AND TWO

corge Miller, a Recent Inmate of

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS WIRE.]

KINCAID (Kan.,) April 4.—Mrs. W. H. Burkey and her daughters, Effle and

Jennie Kirby, were shot and seriously wounded this afternoon by George Miller of Moran, who called at the house and asked to see Miss Effle

Kirby a daughter of Mrs. Burkey by

a former husband. Mrs. Burkey de-clined to admit him, fearing him, as

she knew the youth was recently re-

father giving bond for his good be-

havior. When Mrs. Burkey shut the door in

his face, Miller became enraged and shot at her through the glass door. The

shot at her through the glass door. The builet entered the woman's right breast. Miller then pushed the door open, and as Effle Kirby ran to the assistance of her mother, he sent a builet into her back just above the left kidney. A moment later Jennie Kirby and another sister appeared, and the lunatic chased them out of the house, shooting Jennie as she ran.

After chasing these children into the house of a neighbor, Miller drove away and hunted up Dr. Splan, whom he told to go to the home of Mrs. Burkey and "do some builet-puiling."

Miller was arrested later by Constable Hartzell, after he had fired several shots at the officer, and the officer had emtytied a charge of birdshot into Miller's side.

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The condition of Mrs. Burkey and Effic Kirby is critical.

A HOT FIRE.

tle Royal with Flames.
[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS WIRE.]

o'clock this morning an automatic fire alarm notified the central fire tower

of a blaze starting in the George F. Otte Company's carpet store on the south side of Fourth street, one door west of Race street. The entire fire department was called out, and a bat-

tle royal legan. Otte's entire stock, valued at \$300,000, and insured for \$150,-000 was destroyed in less than two

hours. The entire interior of the Otte building was burned out, and the rear wall fell. The fire communicated to the roof of Henry Rosenbaum's cloak

Cincinnati's Department Has a Ba

CINCINNATI (O.,) April 4.

leased from an insane asylum upon

an Insane Asylum, Becomes En-raged Because the Woman Would not Let Him Enter the House—The Shooter Shot.

CUBAN EXPEDITION EVIDENTLY

Eclipse Are Winners.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS WIRE.]

N FRANCISCO, April 4.—In spite Quick Action of the Man-of-war of the heavy fog hanging over the Ingleside Coursing Park this after-noon over two thousand people as-sembled to witness one of the most in-Prevented Gen. Sanguilly Getting Away—Rivera not to be Shot. Plotting for Gomes.

> JACKSONVILLE (Fla.,) April 4.—The cruiser Vesuvius prevented a Cuban expedition from leaving Fernandina last night, and captured the tug Alexander Jones of Wilmington, N. C. The cruised left here suddenly yesterday afternoon upon information from Spanish Vice Consul Polous that an expedition would leave Fernandina at 12 o'clock at night. The cruiser went down the river and anchored off Fernandina bar. About 12 o'clock a tug with only two lights burn-ing at the masthead was seen to ap-proach, and the flashlight of the Vesuvius was thrown upon her. The tug proved to be the Alexander Jones, and the captain gave as an excuse for his presence that he was waiting for tows. An officer from the Vesuvius was placed aboard, and then the cruiser went out to sea in search of the Bermuda, which

> was expected.
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> A steamer was finally seen coming from the south, having the same signals displayed as those of the Jones. The flashlight was used, at which the steamer turned and started in another direction. A signal from the Vesuvius brought the steamer to a standstill, however, and she was seen to be the Bermuda. The Bermuda was outside the three-mile limit and under the British flag, so that the commander of the Vesuvius had no authority to detain her. vas expected.

Vesuvius had no authority to detain her.

The Bermuda apparently had no cargo on board, standing very high out of the water. The Jones was escorted into port at Fernandina and turned over to Collector of Customs Baltzell, who placed a deputy aboard. The tug probably will be fined for a violation of the navigation laws in having only two lights displayed.

The plans of the Cubans were for Gen. Sanguilly to leave this city with a party of Cubans for Fernandina. A small tug was then to tow two lighters loaded with arms and ammunition and the men out to the bar, where they were to be met by the tug Jones, with coal and provisions aboard, and everything was to be transferred to the Bermuda. The quick action of the Vesuvius prevented their plans from being carried out.

COL. NUNEZ IN HIDING.

NEW YORK, April 4.—The United States authorities here have information that Col. Emilio Nunez, who is wanted for organizing and taking part in a dozen or more fillbustering expe-ditions, has within the past few days ditions, has within the past few days returned to this country from Cuba. It is also hinted that Nunez is hiding hereabouts, having come to New York with Dr. Joaquin de Castillo who after forfeiting his bond, surrendered himself last week and was allowed to give new bail for trial. Col. Emilio Nunez distinguished himself as a daring cavalry leader during the Ten Yeavs Wert.

said that since the breaking out It is said that since the breaking out of the present struggle Nunez has been engaged in organizing and sending men, arms and ammunition to Cuba. He was tried here last winter for breaking the neutrality laws in connection with one of the Bermuda expeditions, but the jury disagreed.

Rivera's Capture Followed by Plotting Against Gomes. [BY THE TIMES' SPECIAL WIRE.]

NEW YORK, April 4.—[Special Dispatch.] The World's Havana special says: "The prevailing belief is that Gen. Rivera will not be shot. The order is said to have come from Madrid spare his life. This action is not prompted from a motive of humanity, but to make a good impression upon the United States and other nations. Gen. Weyler is furious, it is reported, and may cause the

may cause the order to be withdrawn, in which case Rivera would be put to death.

"A courier brings a report from the "A courier brings a "A courier brings a report from the insurgents that Rivera had received orders from Gomes to turn over his command to Roloff, and was about to report to Gomez for other duties when he was captured. That his capture was brought about by treason is still suspected, but Señor Jorrin is no longer accused. The traitor is thought to have been a petty officer under Gen. Rivera. "I am reliably told," says the correspondent, "that Gen. Weyler is staying at Clenfuegos and communicating with Cubans who are plotting to get Gomes in a trap. But treachery will not succeed any better than Spanish bullets. Gomez is aware of what is going on." the roof of Henry Rosenbaum's cloak manufacturing establishment, at the corner of Race and Fourth streets. It was confined to the top story, however, and otherwise Rosenbaum's damage is wholly by water, fully insured. The Meader furniture warehouse adjoined Otte, and the great tailoring establishment was separated from Otte's by an alley, and across the street from Rosenbaum's was the St. Nicholas Hotel. None were injured. The total loss to buildings and stock will be \$400,000. The buildings belonged to the Eckstein estate, and are fully insured. The fire started in the top story of Otte's carpet store next to Baker's alley.

Rudyard Kipling is a nephew of Poynter, the new president of the British Royal Academy.

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The pool tournament at the Los Angeles Athletic Club has been finished, so far as first place is concerned. W. M. Hunt is the successful contestant having defeated W. M. McStay in bis last game by a score of 100 to 84. The game was one of the best of the tournament, the score beng even up to the 80 mark when Hunt made a grand-stand finish and won the club championship. The most exciting game of the series was played yesterday be-tween M. Nordlinger and Walter Mc-Stay. The score showed 85 to 98 in the last frame in favor of Nordlinger. McStay got fourteen of the fifteen balls and tied his opponent's score at 99 points. He then put down the first ball in the next rack, winning at 100 to 99. The score of the tournament as it now stands is as follows: Hunt won 7, lost 0, played 7; Dunning won 1, lost 3, played 4; Nordlinger won 2, lost 5, played 7; W. M. McStay won

1, lost 3, played 4; Nordlinger won 2, lost 5, played 7; W. M. McStay won 2, lost 5, played 3; C. E. McStay won 2, lost 5, played 3; C. E. McStay won 2, lost 5, played 4; Farrell won 4, lost 2, played 6; Cook won 2, lost 3, played 5. President Brink of the Athletic Club is in receipt of a letter from Harry Musgrove, manager of the Australian baseball team, that has just arrived in San Francisco, preparatory to making a tour of the United States. He is desirous of arranging for a series of games in this city early in May. An effort is being made by Mr. Brink to bring the kangaroo players to this city. Arrangements will probably be completed this week for another of the club's boxers' nights to be held the latter part of this month. Fred Bogan of this city is after the scalp of Dal Hawkins, the winner over Flaherty at Carson, but Hawkins wants a purse that reaches into the thousands. Bogan has defeated Hawkins twice and hoxed two draws with him. Jones and Burkhardt are also spoken of as a likely pair for an exhibition. Both men have boxed a draw with Young Dempsey, and are an exact match in reach, height and weight.

The Athletic Club will present some striking features in the way of tumbling, arcobatic and gymnastic work at the flesta games on the 22d of this month.

The various schools and colloges of

month.

The various schools and colloges of this city will hold a field day at Athletic Park May 22. The Athletic Club has donated a handsome trophy cup for the winning team.

On May 30 the Associated Cycling Clubs give their annual race meet. Some of the best riders in the country will participate, and one of the largest entry lists on record is looked for.

Bench Show at Highland Park.

One hundred and twenty big jack-bits will leave Bakersfield on Tuesrabits will leave Bakersfield on Tuesday for the Highland Park kennels. They will furnish sport for the greyhounds in the coursing match that will open the bench show on the morning of April 11. Elighteen hounds are already entered for the coursing match. On the same day at 3 p.m. the bloodhounds will show how they work. A man will be given a couple of hours start toward the mountains and the hounds will be put on his trail. The bench show will enter 300 dogs at the least. The bull-terriers alone number thirty. Great Danes, St. Bernards and mastiffs will be well represented.

Spalding's Baseball Guide for 1897 has just been published, and now the baseball season may be said to have fairly begun. As usual, the guide has heen compiled by the veteran "Father" Chadwick, than whom there is no abler writer on the national game. Besides the new playing rules, which differ considerably from those of last year, the guide also contains the full official league records, compiled by Secretary Young; the monthly standing of the clubs during the 1896 campaign; averages of all the minor league and college clubs, with a complete record of games played by the latter; articles on batting, pitching, fielding, and base-running; Cardinal Gibbons' address on ball playing, and many interesting articles on the game. Spalding's Baseball Guide for 1897 has

On the Bicycle Track

The performances of the crackerjacks in the competition races that have been run at the Mechanics' Pavilion, San Francisco, encourage the belief that some fast times will be made this year on the bicycle track. There are expected to be an in-creased number of riders in both the professional and amateur classes, and the frequent race meet will furnish ample competition for all. Preparaample competition for all. Prepara-tions are going on in nearly every city and town of any size in the country to put their respective bleycle tracks in good condition for the coming riding season, and almost continuous racing season, and almost continuous facing is looked for this year. With Jimmy Michael located in this country, and Fred Titus reinstated to the track, and Michael located in this country, and fred Titus reinstated to the track, and the presence of some of the foreign cracks, who have announced their intention of touring America this year, long distance racing should receive a big boom. Michael, Weinig, Starbuck, Titus and some of the new long-distance men who will be developed add interest to long events of this kind. Most critics agree that there will be few of the short records broken, but the records from five miles up are expected to be lowered. The national circuit will probably open in San Francisco, and will continue eastward, finally winding up at the L.A.W. national meet in Philadelphia in August. The short-distance cracks who will tour this year will include Tom Cooper, Earl Kiser, Arthur Gardiner, Tom Butler, J. S. Johnson, Sanger, McDonald, Murphy and Kimball.

willing material, and when I left for the Christmas holidays the men had shown such an eager aptitude that they had thoroughly grasped my ideas.

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"What was the substance of my instructions? Well, speaking generally, they were that the men should have slow, steady work. The slower the stroke the better, as it induces the men to swing together and minimizes the chances of any of them developing individual faults. Then, practical attention was to be paid to leg work and the manipulation of the slides, the reach forward and the swing back. Capt. Goodrich and Mr. Mumford were in such deep sympathy with my ideas that I shall be greatly surprised if I do not find a practically ready crew.

if I do not find a practically ready crew.

"As to the personnel, I don't anticipate any material change from the eight that was selected after the trial races a few months back. Of course, one or two men who were left out then may have come on while one or two others have stood still.

"I did not do any coaching for Oxford this year. It would have been impossible for me to do justice to Harvard had I done so. In any event, the Oxford crew is being instructed by D. H. McLean, one of the best oars that ever went up to a university, and certainly one of the most capable. Cambridge has been and is being handled by J. B. Hope, last year's president, and a sterling good waterman.

"I am glad that whatever differences existed with Yale have been patched up, and look forward to a smashing race in June.

"I still favor a regatta here on the Henley principle, and feel confident of its success if clubs would make it a rule to send crews, whether they happened to be strong or weak."

GYMKHANA RACES.

Carnival of Sport to be Held at Athletic Park April 22.

The La Fiesta carnival of sport to be held at Athletic Park on Thursday April 22, will be under the managemen of the La Fiesta Committee. The entries for the races will close a week from to-day. A list of the bicycle and running races have already been given, and the following is a list of the gymkhana

races:

One-hundred-yard potato race—The start will be a standing start. Potatoes will be placed ten yards apart. Riders are not allowed to push their wheels or walk. First to cross the tape with the most potatoes wins the race.

Three-legged race, fifty yards and return—Two riders have left and right leg tied together at the knee, each pedaling his own wheel with the disengaged leg. The first couple in winning the race.

Basket race seventy yards and return—All wheels laid on the ground in front of the rider. Each rider to wear baskets on their feet. At the word go, the rider picks up his wheel, mounts, and rides around a stake, and returns. First in wins.

turnstiles registered the attendance at 40,000. The big race of the tournament was the great wheel race, a two-mile handicap in heats, in which the prizes aggregated \$2250, of which sum the winner received \$1750. The tournament lasted from 10 a.m. until midnight. All the cracks of the country competed together with a number of foreign champions.

gether with a number of foreign champions.

Camp life for cyclists during the vacation period promises to become, sooner or later, the proper thing for the devotees of the pastime in this country. Several clubs in London have established permanent camps for their members, and these have been exceedingly popular during the season. The idea of cyclists' camps in this country originated from the experience of the London clubs. It is very likely that the examples of the club camps will be followed in this country this season, some talk to that effect having been made by the leading organizations of New York City.

Many cyclists, largely beginners in the popular pastime, scorn the use of toe-

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TENNIS TOURNAMENT.

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The schedule of important lawn tennis tournaments for this season has been completed. The English system of one to six to fifteen for handicapping will be used in the United States this year. The schedule is as follows:

English championship set .-July 13-Championship singles at July 14-Championship doubles at

July 15-Ladies' championship at Wimbledon. July 25-The championship at Wim-July 24-Irish championship at Dub-

lin.

American championships—
May 1 — Harvard interscholastic championship at Cambridge.
May 1—Yale interscholastic championship at New Haven.
May 1—Princeton interscholastic championship at Princeton.
May 1—Columbia interscholastic championship at Columbus.
May 1—University of Chicago interscholastic championship at Chicago.

cholastic championship at Chicago. May 1—University of Pennsylvania aterscholastic championship at Phila-

Francisco, Cal.; open. June 17—Seattle L.T.C., Seattle, Wash.; Washington State champion-

June 23—Chicago L.T.C., Chicago, Ill.; July 2, 3 and 5—Pacific State L.T.C., at San Rafael, Cal.; Pacific Coast championship; tenth annual.

July 19—West Superior I.T.C., West Superior, Wis.; invitation.
July 26—United States Navy L.T.C. Chicago; western champio

les.
July 26—Minneapolis L.T.C., Lake
Minnetonka, Minn.; championship of
the Northwest.
August 11—Tacoma L.T.C., Tacoma

August 11—Tacoma L.T.C., Tacoma, Wash.; championship of the Northwest; seventh annual.
August 17—Omaha L.T.C., Omaha, Neb.; interstate tournament, Iowa, Nebraska, Kansas, and Missouri.
August 25—Niagara L.T.C., at Niagara-on-the-Lake, Can.; international championship.
August 30—Western ladies' championship at Chicago.
September 7—Western Pennsylvania, Can. Pittsburgh, Pa.; single championship of Western Pennsylvania, September 8 and 9—Pacific States L.T.A., Del Monte, Cal.; doubles, championship, eighteenth annual; ladies' championship, singles.
October 5—Intercollegiate championship, New Haven, Ct.

HIDALGO'S GOSSIP.

Necessity of Letting a Horse Feel of His Weight. Well, the California Derby has gone

into history as the worst slaughter of into history as the worst slaughter of the lambs that has been known for some years. Here was a field of twelve colts, two of which had been "held out" especially for it and one of them sold for \$5000 because the purchaser believed he was an air-tight, lead-piped, copperriveted "cinch" for the race, and he could win him out in one single event. The man who sold him now realizes (unless he bet off the purchase money on the race) the force of Lord Jersey's remark when he sold Bay Middleton: "It is better to sell a horse and be sorry than to keep him and be sorry." Here were these horses running day after day and week after week in selling races in which they are entered for one-tenth of their real value for the sake of getting a light weight; and in "condition races," as they are called, which enable certain horses to run with "straw hats" on them. All this had been going on for months till some of these horses came to be regarded as world-beaters. In not one race in twenty did a horse carry his real weight for age, let alone the crucial test of 122 pounds which is the three-year-old the lambs that has been known for some walk. First to cross the tape with the weeks of walk to the state of t the record of the race disproves it. After the first six hundred yards had been traversed the big Nevada colt went to the front and stayed there to the finish. Every horse in the race that could untrack himself at all, had a crack at him. They started at the head of the homestretch. After passing the stand it was Scarborough, Good Times and Candelaria at the quarter; Scarborough, Candelaria and Scarf Pin and Howard S. at the three-quarters and so down the stretch until the pace grew too severe for the favorite and he dropped out only to be passed by Altamax and Candelaria. Now who will say that was not a true-run race?

There was a dark and dang-rous crew behind that horse. They let him come from away behind in his former races and occasionally get third unoney, and on a recent occasion, when he and Greyhurst were each 3 to 1, nevc. let him get a call in the race, All this was to keep him back in Saturday's betting. Scarborough's opening price was 40 to 1, and he started at 10 to 1, so his party must have won big money. I am glad of it. Tom Lottridge has outwitted the very sharpest of the eastern racing men, some of whom will have to go back in box cars, from the present outlook.

Certain it is that the eastern visitors Certain it is that the eastern visitors

do not carry back much money, generally speaking. Willie Wallace claimed to be \$20,000 loser when he got back to Lexington, which will bear halving, in my belief. Barney Schreiber dropped a decidedly plethoric roll on the occasion of his first visit, and several other eastern celebrities got to

NEW BUILDING TO BE ERECTED FOR MILITARY USE.

Brigade and Regimental Headquargrade and Accommodations for ters and Accommodations for Cavalry and Signal Corps to be Provided at Eighth and Spring

If the specifications for the new Seventh Regiment Armory are carried out, Los Angeles will have the best equipped regimental buildings in the State. The place selected for the site

riders once accustomed to its use would part with it for many times its cost, if it were to be no longer sold.

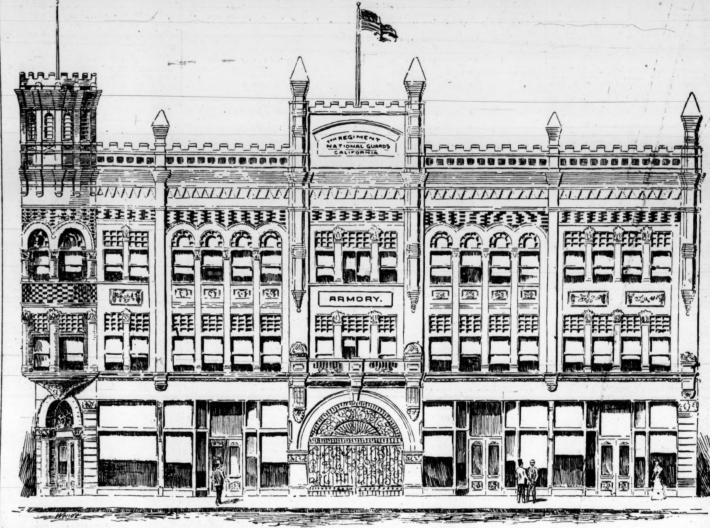
THE SEVENTH'S ARMORY. of the new armory is the corner of Eighth and Spring streets, and the building to be created will be three. building to be erected will be three stories high. The front is to be of pressed buff brick with sufficient ornamentation to relieve the plainness of the elevation. The building will face 100 feet on Spring street and 155 feet on Eighth street. Three stores will occupy the main portion of the first story, but aside from this the entire building will be devoted to the service of the National Guard. The main entrance is a high arch, closed with handsome wrought-iron gates, made from a special design drawn by T. J. McCarthy, the architect of the building, who also secured the ten years'

On the main floor, beside the stores, facing on Eighth street, with accouterment room and general armory. At the rear on Eighth street there will be a shooting range at reduced distance, and the big basement, 40x100 feet, will be utilized for storing armory shower baths, etc. On the second floor, shower baths, etc. On the second floor, divided from the front rooms by a wide corridor, is the great drill hall, 97x102 feet, with a gallery running around it, reached by iron spiral staircases. In the front of this floor are the regimental headquarters, rooms for the colonel, adjutant and field staff and all non-commissioned officers. Brigade headquarters are also provided for, and Troon D occupies two rooms. The rest of the rooms are given

up to parlors, and to the janitor of the building.

The third floor contains all the company rooms, with quarters for the Signal Corps. The gymnasium occupying an apartment 17x41 feet, is to be fully equipped with all necessary apparatus. Besides these rooms, there are offices for the first sergeants and all company officers, shower-baths, lavatories, large reading rooms and the officers' parlors The Signal Corps has the tower, from which place signals can be sent to any part of the city. The building throughout is to be finished in hard wood, and built in a most substantial manner.

The lease for the building and ground is signed for ten years, with a rentail \$300 per month. For the first time the Seventh Regiment will have an armory of its own, built for the purpose of accommodating soldiers.



PROPOSED ARMORY FOR THE SEVENTH REGIMENT ON SPRING STREET.

The Midways Win Again. The Midway baseball team defeated

The Midway baseball team defeated the Horse Shees yesterday by a score of 9 to 4. The Midways have not yet been defeated, and are very proud of their record. They are anxious to meet any team of their size and wish to extend a juvenile all-comers' challenge. Any acceptance of such challenge should be addressed to Charles H. Sohram, No. 1702 Temple street.

General Sporting News. The Southern L.A.W. circuit will last eight months, and purses aggregating \$40,000 will be hung up.

The crack two-year-old at Palo Alto is Whips, Jr., by Whips-Marion, by Piedmont. Marion is a daughter of old Lady Morgan, by Hambletonian 10.

talk with the pitcher or catcher, according to which is nearest the umpire, and the captain's remarks to the player will have direct reference to the last decision by the umpire. The address to the umpires states that all trouble arises from the failure of umpires to enforce the rules, but it strikes me that the league's failure to sustain umpires who have dared to enforce the rules is the real trouble."

THE ART OF WAR.

Cannon were first used by the Moors at Algeciras, Spain, 1343. A syndicate with a capital of 100,-000,000 marks, has been formed in Ger-many to employ Herr Krupp to build

warships.

The British battleship Jupiter, 14,900 tons, on her trial trip March 9 averaged 18.4 knots for four hours. The contract speed was 17.5 knots.

One million dollars will probably be expended by Great Britain in improvements and extension of the Hong-kong dockyard. A large drydock is one of the pressing needs.

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The United States flag was first saluted by a foreign power in Guiberon Bay, France, the officer in charge of the vessel making the salute being Admiral la Motte.

The admiral of the British flagship at Khanla was in the smallest business ever an English officer was on when he shelled the Cretan Christians who were fighting the Mussulmans at Khania.

Japan fought her last naval war without battleships, but in her next one she proposes to use some of the strongest armor-clads afloat. Two \$4,000,000 vessels are building in England and more are likely to follow. Japan's most active enemy in the Far East in Russia.

East in Russia.

The only fortress in the United States is Fortress Monroe, at Old Point Comfort, in Virginia. It was built for the purpose of defending the naval yard of Norfolk against any possible attack. Its area is about eighty acres, surrounded by a moat filled with water from eight to fifteen feet deep and from seventy-five to one hundred feet wide.

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Some surprising things were found in the booty captured from the dervishes by the British at Dongola. Among them were a few coats of mail and helmets which evidently date from the days of the crusaders. A sword which was found had an inscription

which was found had an inscription in old French. Another sword bore the motto, "Honi solt qui mal y pense."

The Hart and Hardy, topedo-boat destroyers, of 295 tons displacement, have arrived safely at Hongkong, where they will be attached to the British China Squadron. Their passage up from Singapore in the teeth of the northeast monsoon was very trying to the small crafts, but the officers speak in the highest terms of their seaworthiness through their long voyage from England.

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Foreign navies are rapidly adopting petroleum as fuel, and France, Germany and Italy are going in for using it on an extensive scale. It is claimed for it that by its use the speed of a vessel can be increased from eight to thirteen knots in from seven to fifteen minutes. In addition, the boilers suffer less from using this fuel than with coal. As yet, it is only intended to use it auxiliary, but a French engineer has designed a boiler for the sole use of this particular fuel.

There are now in process of building for the British navy, eighty-nine vessels; for the French, thirty-three; for the Rusian, thirty-nine; for the German, nineteen, and for the Italian, thirteen. Of the vessels which are being built by Great Britain forty-eight are torpedo-boats, while of the other powers Italy is the only one building any, and she only one. Of the battleships England is building twelve; France, six; Russia, eight; Germany, three, and Italy, two.

Secretary Alger has decided that there is nothing in or about Fort McHenry, near Baltimore, that the

is nothing in or about Fort McHenry, near Baltimore, that the public should not see, and will exempt it from the provisions of the recent order. Fort McHenry is the only station, however, at least at present, to which the order does not apply. All others are regarded as of more consequence, as means of defense and as sus-

ceptible of conversion into modern debatteries and appliances for submarine

mines.

In "Famous British Warships" Walter Wood tells a story of Admiral Codrington, who commanded the British fleet in the action of Navarino, in 1827, when the Turkish fleet was destroyed by the allied powers. "When the admiral returned from the Mediterranean he met in town a country acquaintance of the class whose souls are wrapped up in their lands and turnips. 'Huillo, Codrington,' he exclaimed, in blind ignorance of all contemporary history, 'I haven't seen you for some time. Had any good shooting lately?' 'Why, yes,' replied the admiral, 'I've had some rather remarkable shooting.' And with this he went able shooting.' And with this he went on his way."

Prayer-Embroidered Skirts. [Columbus Dispatch.] A lady in search of a useful Christmas present for her husband asked to see

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Henry Becomes Emphatic.

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[Louisville Courier-Journal:] A short horse is soon curried, and this 16-to-1, go-as-you-please, stick-in-the-mud, free-silver short horse is very short, indeed, being, as a matter of fact, very little short of a jackass. Let the boys who are in it for what they can get go along and see how much they will make by attempting to put a blind bridle upon the masses of the people. They cannot do it. They are doomed to defeat—irretrievable defeat—until, learning wisdom by disaster, they stop following a set of bankrupt leaders in a wild-goose chase and come back to the principles of democracy, unterrified and undefiled.

He Was Speedy.

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Personally appeared before me, Harry
Chandler, superintendent of circulation of The
Times, who, being duly sworn, deposes and
says that the daily bona fide editions of The
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ity at the present moment of communicating directly with the Cretans who are subjected to the overwhelming influence of the Greek detachment in the island and kept back in places inaccessible to European negotiations. Col. Vassos has parctically declared war against the powers. Moreover, certain extravagant and habitual fomenters of disorder hysterically advocate a declaration of war by Greece against Turkey on the 6th of April, or on the date when a blockade of Greece commences.

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A "PACIFIC BLOCKADE." ROME, April 4 .- A dispatch from Suda says that the powers have ordered the admirals of the international fleet to begin a pacific blockade of Athens, and it is understood at Suda that the admirals are now considering the best way of carrying out the instructions.

OUTLINES OF AUTONOMY. CONSTANTINOPLE, April 4.—The ambassadors of the powers telegraphed today to their respective governments the outlines of the scheme of Cretan autonomy, upon which they have agreed. The temper of their proposals has thus far been kept a strict official

WANTS TO BUY CANNON. CONSTANTINOPLE, April 4 .- The Porte is endeavoring to negotiate with the Ottoman Bank a loan of £200,000 for the purchase of cannon, but it is not believed that the attempt will be

OBJECTIONABLE TURK.

he Ambassadors Protest Against an

CONSTANTINOPLE, April 4.—[By Atlantic Cable.] The ambassadors yesterday made strong representations to the Turkish government against the appointment as Governor of Tokat of Hassan Pasha, who was Governor of Jeddah at the time the Bedouins attacked the consuls. They pointed out that Hakki Pasha, commander at Tokat, had not yet been dismissed, nor put on trial, as had been agreed by the Porte. They also pointed out that there were serious fears of massacres at Hadjin, one of the places that had escaped in former outbreaks.

They reminded the government that the Governor of Hadjin had on one occasion threatened to burn the town and that Mr. Terrill, the United States Minister, then told the Porte that the American government would require tacked the consuls. They pointed out

American government would require the Governor's head if the American missionaries, three ladies, were mo-lested. Mr. Terrill has again called upon the Forte to provide a military guard for the residence of the Ameri-can ladies, and this fact was men-tioned in the joint representations made yesterday.

ORGANIZING A MASS-MEETING. ATHENS, April 4 .- Nothing positive ATHENS, April 4.—Nothing positive is known here, but the blockade of the Piracus is considered imminent. The press teems with indignant protests against the reference to autonomy made by M. Hanotaux yesterday in the Chamber of Deputies. A great meeting is being organized for Tuesday next, the anniversary of the commencement of the war of independence of 1921, to protest against the action of the powers, and to piedge support to the Greek government.

GOLD-MINERS' CONVENTION.

the National Mining Bureau.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS WIRE.] DENVER, April 4.-The National Mining Bureau has issued a call for an "international gold-miners' convention," to be held in Denver on the 15th and 16th of June. The exhibits will consist of refined gold and gold ores, mines, chambers of commerce, boards of trade, mining exchanges and mining

well as machinery manufacturers and dealers.

Each county in the mining States is requested to hold a mass convention not later than May 20 and elect delegates to the gathering here. Gov. Adams was named as president of the convention, and Irwin Mahon as secretary, and the delegates from each State are requested to elect a vice-president. Louis R. Ehrich of this city is to represent Colorado in that capacity.

John McNell, at a Rochester Hos pital, Tells a Wild Story. (BY ASSOCIATED PRESS WIRE.

Last evening a man staggered into the Kremlin / Hotel, in North St. Paul street. There was a deep cut in his temple, and his clothing was covered with blood that flowed from the ugly wound. He was sent at once to Lit. Mary's Hospital, where he is at present in a vory dazed condition. Last evening a man staggered into the Mary's Hospital, where he is at present in a very dazed condition.

The man said his name was John McNell, and he claimed to be the president of the Oregon Railway and Navigation Company. First he said he had been enticed into a saloon by 'three men and assaulted, one of the men using an, ax and then thrown into the street. Today he contradicted this story and stated that he stopped over at the Central station, while on his way West, and while wandering about the streets, either fell down or was assaulted. His mind, however, does not seem clear enough for him to give a detailed account of his experiences in Rochester. He had considerable money and jewelry with him. pulpit today.

THE CRUSADE ENDED.

The Theosophists Celebrate Their

Return to New York, [BY ASSOCIATED PRESS WIRE.] [BY ASSOCIATED PRESS WIRE.]
NEW YORK, April 4.—The theosophical crusaders reached this city tonight after a tour of 40,000 miles. They held a public reception at the Madison Square Concert Hall, but at the same time the other theosophist leader, Mrs. Annie Besant, held a meeting in Chickering Hall.

It was a flattering reception at the Madison Square Hall for the theosophical crusaders, those of the Mrs. Ting-

ley branch. With much eclat the crusaders of 294 days, which began on June 13, last, and extended around the world, ended formally. Surrounded by multitudinous mystic symbols, flags, drapery, ribbons, wreaths, buttons, etc.. Mrs. Tingley and her band were publicly welcomed to the city by their confrerees. The flag of the school of revival of lost mysteries was spread back of the platforms. Flags of all the nations visited by the crusaders were strewn about the platform. The audience numbered 2000 people. The band reached the city early in the evening. They were met at /Albany by a party from this city, which went up in a special car to meet the crusaders.

PERU BACKS DOWN.

Sailor Ramsay Released by Order

of the Court of Appeals.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS WIRE.] LIMA (Peru,) April 4.-Ramsay, the American sailor, who was arrested in the early part of the year at Callao on the charge of disorderly conduct, confined and subsequently sentenced to a year's imprisonment gal trial as is provided for in the treaty between Peru and the United States, and whose sentence was commuted last week to four months' imprisonment from January 1, was released on Saturday night on order of the Court of Appeals.

TWO WOMEN HACKED.

SAM SMITH, JR., USES A CORN-KNIFE ON HIS STEPMOTHER.

Follows This Up with an Assault on Her Sister-Leaves Them Uncon-scious and Goes to Tell the Neighbors-Probably Crasy.

IBY ASSOCIATED PRESS WIRE. HUMANSVILLE (Mo.,) April. 4.— What is certain to result in a double tragedy occurred last night near Weau-bleau, Hickory county, Mo. Sam Smith, Jr., a young farmer, attacked his aged stepmother, Mrs. Smith, with a corn-knife. Her sister, Mrs. Cox. ran to her assistance, and Smith hacked both women on their heads, shoulders and arms, until they were unconscious. He then went to the home of a neighbor and reported that he had killed them.

Both women are close to 60 years of age and neither can live. Smith was arrested and taken to Hermitage. He is believed to be insane. The imme-diate cause of the trouble was a rediate cause of the trouble was a re-fusal of Mrs. Smith to rent her farm

DEMOCRATIC LEAGUE.

Bryan and Sewall Clubs Getting

an Organization.
[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS WIRE.] NEW YORK, April 4.—Representatives of one hundred clubs that supported Bryan and Sewall last fall met today and organized the Progressive Democratic League of New York City. It is estimated that aside from the single-tax clubs and the laper corrections. single-tax clubs and the labor organizations which took part in the cam-paign, there were 200 Bryan and Sewall clubs organized.

clubs organized.

While only half the clubs were represented today, the leaders of the movement say that the other hundred and the seventy-five clubs, not distinctively of Bryan and Sewall nature, will fall in line as soon as the officers of the organizations are communicated with. The convention adopted a declaration of principles affirming allegiance to the national Democratic platform of 1896.

A Baptist Preacher Accused.

NEW YORK, April 4.—Rev. Dr. Daniel C. Potter, who five weeks ago was put out of the Baptist Tabernacle Church after a fight with the Baptist City Mission Society, which had extended over five years, has been sued for divorce on statutory grounds. Mrs. Potter names as principal corespondent, one Oschlusky, better known as Etta Ross, his housekeeper, and superintendent of the young men's mission and Bible class. There are other corespondents. Dr. Potter occupied his pulpit today.

Pilgrimage to Ireland. NEW YORK, April 4.—The Executive Committee of the '98 Centennial Association met today to make arrangements for the pilgrimmage to Ireland next year to celebrate the centennial anniversary of the rebellion of 1798. An address to the Irish people of this country was prepared.

Not Too Old for a Papa. ST. AUGUSTINE (Fla.,) April 4.— Mrs. Schofield today presented Lieut. Gen. John M. Schofield, U.S.A., retired, with a fine, healthy girl baby. Gen. Schofield was retired eighteen months ago on account of the age limit. He is now 66 years old.

Hanna Will Vote Today CLEVELAND (O.) April 4.—Senator Mark Hanna arrived here tonight in order to cast his vote tomorrow in the municipal election. He will return to Washington after having cast his per-

SAYS HE WILL NOT ALLOW A HARBOR TO BE MADE.

tion to San Pedro.

HOOD AGAINST ANY HARBOR.

CONGRESSMAN BARLOW'S GOOD COMMITTEE PROSPECTS.

be Almost Certain of a Place on the Rivers and Harbors Com-

WASHINGTON (D. C.,) March 27 .-It is singular that a Senator of the United States should allow his personal aims to go so far as Senator Frye has in the matter of the San Pedro Har-bor. He openly avows that he will never allow the harbor to be constructed in spite of the verdict of the

never allow the harbor to be constructed in spite of the verdict of the commission which was appointed at his own suggestion. His present pretext, which is a very filmsy one, is that the board had no right to take the inner harbor into consideration at ail, overlooking the fact that the report was to consider the harbor, both from the points of refuge and commerce.

Secretary Alger appears to be acting somewhat strangely, although he assured Representative Barlow positively that no order would be issued stopping work. He has declined to dissolve the commission, allowing the members to go to their homes, but telling them to remain subject to recall. There will be an attempt made in the Senate to refer the matter back to the commission with directions that the inner harbor shall not be taken into account. Hood now says that the Santa Monica pier can supply the demands of commerce for the next twenty years, and will do so. When San Pedro only asked \$392,500, the Huntington people were loud in their demands for a three-million-dollar appropriation for Santa Monica. Now they change front entirely, and declare the expenditure at either place unwarranted. If they are right now, they must have been trying to effect a steal a year ago. There need be no fears that Senator Frye can undo what he contributed so largely in doing. The worst that can happen would appear to be a delay.

Representative Barlow wants to get on the Rivers and Harbors Committee.

Representative Barlow wants to get on the Rivers and Harbors Committee. And it looks a little as though he would succeed. Representative Barham also wants to get on that committee, but Barlow is the best fighter. In fact, if Barlow were not a Populist, and for that reason without influence in Congress, he starts out as though he would be a very useful member. His being a Populist will naturally destroy that usefulness to a very great extent. A Democrat has power as being a member of a strong minority, but the Populists in the House are nonentities by reason of their not being needed. In the Senate, the Populists have some force, that body being closely divided. Barlow has secured the support of Catchings of Mississippi for a place on the Rivers and Harbors Committee, which is a very strong card. He has also a number of western commercial organizations and is after others. He is a firm, outspoken friend of San Pedro, and very much alive in trying to secure an increase of tariff on citrus fruits. In short, his record thus far is good and California's interests would be closely watched if he should be placed on the Rivers and Harbors Committee. Barlow was a Republican lines except as to strictly political affiliations. Another Populists who is doing good, intelligent work is Wardall. It would never be believed that these two men were Populists if they did not confess it. The eccentricities and mental aberrations, by which the other Populists here are easily distinguished, are totally absent with Representative Barlow and Chairman Wardall. Representative Barlow wants to get

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Spain Needs Troops at Home LONDON, April 4.—The Madrid cor-respondent of the Daily Mail says that respondent of the Dally Mail says that bands of starving working people broke out into open disorder at Malaga today, destroyed property and selzed large sums of money. The police made many arrests. The cause of the outbreak was lack of work. The condition of things in Andalusia grows worse daily. The government is reinforcing the troops there. its troops there.

A Wine Merchant's End. MONTREAL (Que.,) April 4.—James Guest, for years one of the best-known wine merchants in Canada, died at Vendun Hospital for the Insane today,

Off Boston Light. BOSTON, April 4.—The battleship Iowa, after a run of a little less than twenty-four hours from New York, dropped anchor outside of Boston light

at 3 o'clock this afternoon.

Drowned in Niagara River. BUFFALO, April 4.—A sailing skiff capsized in the Niagara River last night and Thomas Dowd, aged 23, and Edward Bowling, 29 years old, were

NEW YORK, April 4.—The steamer Fuerst Bismarck, which arrived from Mediterranean ports today, brought nearly one thousand Italian immi-grants.

BRITISH MARKETS.

Salkan Uncertainties Have Some In-

LONDON, April 4.—[By Atlantic Ca-ble.] The indications of the money market point to extremely easy conditions, and the release of the divi-dend funds next week. There is a good demand for gold bars for Japan, Australia and Russia, which is met by moderate amounts reaching the open market from Africa. It is expected that even if the Bank of England does not reduce the rate next week, the old banks and discount houses will lower the allowances on deposits. The political uncertainties in the Balkans keep speculation on the Stock Exchange at vanishing points, but there is a fair investment business. Prices have been rairly well maintained, though home rallways have lost ground, owing to the fears of labor troubles on the Northeastern company's line.

Foreign securities show but little change, except Argentines, which have advanced five points in customs loans and from five to nine in other national loans on the announcement by Argenbanks and discount houses will lower

and from five to nine in other national loans on the announcement by Argentina that the government will resume the full rate of interest on the foreign debt next July. There is, however, much doubt here as to the propriety of this step in the face of falling revenues and the rumors of a new loan. Americans were much depressed early in the week by the Transmissouri decision, and fell sharply, but later recovered almost fully on the theory that the troubles created by the judgment thereby would be overcome.

GAS TURNED ON.

nes Harding of Philadelphia Found Dead with a Woman. [BY ASSOCIATED PRESS WIRE.]

PHILADELPHIA, April 1.—James Harding, aged 60 years, a member of the firm of Harding & Dubols, wholethe firm of Harding & Dubols, wholesale shoe dealers of this city, was
found dead in a bed today in a disreputable house. Beside him lay the
unconscious form of an unknown
woman aged about 40 years. The room
was filled with gas from a burner which
had been turned on full blast. There
was nothing to indicate whether or
not it had been intentional.
The woman was taken to the St.

not it had been intentional.

The woman was taken to the St.
Joseph Hospital, and up to a late flour
tonight had not recovered consciousness, but her appearance indicated that
she would probably recover.

THAT POLITICAL CLOUD. Senator Harris of Kansas, May Cast a Shadow on Bryan. [BY ASSOCIATED PRESS WIRE.]

TOPEKA (Kan.,) April 4.-For son little time the probable candidacy of United States Senator W. A. Harris of Kansas for the nomination for Fresident of the Fusion forces in 1909

Fresident of the Fusion forces in 1909 has been common gossip among Kansas capital politicians.

The Daily Capital, in this connection, today says: "A little political cloud no bigger than Senator Harris has risen over Mr. Bryan's chances for the leadership of the Popocratio forces of 1990. The former is being urged by his friends to make the race."

Apple Orchards Invaded.

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SEDALIA (Mo.,) April 4.—Small green bugs have made their appearance in some of the largest apple orchards in this section, and fears are expressed that they will destroy a great part of Central Missouri's apple crop. One orchard, containing 1000 trees has been invaded by the bugs, which literally cover the buds.

DERAILED THE CAR

The Curse of China.

[Milwaukee Sentinel:] For many years the Yang-tse-Klang River, one of the chief streams that flow through the celestial empire, has been known to the inhabitants as "the scourge of China." During the last two hundred years its floods have fourteen times forced the massive dams of the central provinces, and each time covered its banks with thousands of human corpses. In 1833 its inundation ravaged the province of Hu-Pae to an extent which can be retrieved only by the labors of many successive generations. Another terrible flood occurred a few years since, which spread its havoc over an area of 350,000 square miles in the most densely populated districts of China. The loss of life on that occasion has been estimated at 750,000, even after deducting the hundreds of thousands that succumbed to the subsequent famine and those slain by marauders and hunger-crazed cannibals.

One Carriage not Enough

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[San Francisco Chronicle:] This little story of Marie Van Zandt comes from Paris and relates to her success in "Mignon:" "One evening a gentleman who had a prince's crown in his hat and an order in his buttonhole, said to the singer: 'Mademois fle, why do you always take common cabs? A gentille petite feame like you should not be seen in such turnouts. I have six carriage in my stables. Won't you let me put one of them at your disposal?" 'Why, what do you want me to do with that one carriage of yours?' she replied; 'one is not anough. I need. to do with that one carriage of yours? she replied; 'one is not anough. I need at least a thousand. The Compagnie Parisienne de Fiacres is ahead of you, monseigneur; it has all its cabs at my disposal. I go out, I raise my hand—see, like this—and they all drive up. I have only to choose."

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AMUSEMENTS TONIGHT.

BURBANK-The Galley Slave. ORPHEUM-Vaudeville.

THE TRUST, IT DID "BUST." The collapse of the United Press as a pretentious, if not a great, newsgathering organization, and the placing of the business of the concern in the hands of a receiver for final disposition, is a climax that is new to the newspaper world and yet not un-

expected; and it is one which merits

more than passing notice. This aggregation of newspapers, latterly called by the absurd, pretentious and deceptive name of the "United Associated Presses," at one time comprised some of the largest and most influential dailies in the country, and it is to the inherent viclousness of its management and the lines on which it was conducted as a news-gatherer and distributor that the collapse is due, rather than to the quality of its clientele.

When in 1892, under the manipulations of Walter Phillips and William M. Laffan of New York, an alliance was formed with the Associated Press for the exchange of news under certain limitations, the United Press appeared to be in a fair way to secure control of a field that had been dominated before by its elder rival-that of legitimate dealings in the legitimate news of the day. The United Press was conceived and conducted with the idea of controlling the news field of this country for the sole purpose of enriching its few stockholders. A Chicago banker named Walsh and the heads of six or seven New York papers formed a close corporation, which in a short time had cured undisputed control of all territory east of the Alleghanies and north of the city of Washington. Charles A. Dana of the New York Sun, during his presidency of the concern, helped to make of it a powerful engine in the news field of the United States, and claims were also laid to exclusive contracts with the De Reuter and Havas agencies of London and Paris, which furnished the news of Europe to this country. With these associations the United Press schemers hoped to control the market reports from the great American and European centers, and had they been able to do so, the stealings of the Tweed ring in its palmiest days would have been a mere trifle in comparison.

The first body blow dealt the United Press was the exposure by General Manager Melville E. Stone of the Associated Press of the absolute falsity of the Walsh-Phillips claims to these foreign contracts. Mr. Stone went to Europe expressly to investigate the matter, and found that an audacious effort was being made to hoodwink the Associated Press and the great reading public. Through his efforts a new compact was made between the Associated Press and the Reuter Company, the Havas Agencie and the Continental Telegraphen Compagnie of Berlin for a term of ten years. This was a stunning blow to the "news trust," for not only did it cripple their stock-jobbing schemes. but it lost the concern many papers throughout the country which were enterprising enough to demand a world-wide news service.

The United Press, finding its policy of deception laid bare, endeavored to renew the alliance with the Associ ated Press which had been broken off In February, 1894, it was rendered still more desperate by the application of the Pacific Associated Press to be admitted to membership in the rival organization. Since tuat time, despite occasional defections from the ranks of the Associated Press-like that of the San Francisco Examiner, for instance, and the slightly meteoric Record-Union of Sacramento—the "news trust" has been losing ground steadily, its downward progress being accelerated by the refusal of the telegraph companies to recognize it in the light of a bona fide news-gatherer entitled to privileges in the way of low rates.

The cheap, catch-penny methods of the United Press, always apparent to the intelligent public, became so obnoxious under the straining necessary to continue the concern in exist ence, that one by one newspapers formerly loyal to it were obliged, in sheer self-respect and with due regard to their own prosperity, to withdraw. The death-blow came when the New York Herald, Tribune, Times and Evening Telegram threw up its and signed ninety-year contracts with

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the Associated Press. Philadelphia and Boston papers joined in the movement, and the rout was complete. The New York Sun, the chief stockholder remaining, had the satisfaction, if any there was, of being in at the death, for upon Charles A. Dana devolved the task of applying for the receivership which was granted by the courts, and Frederick Mason, who was named receiver, has issued notices forbidding correspondents or exchanges to turn in any more news to the concern, thus admitting that there is no more money in the treasury with which to pay for news-gathering, and that, in short, the annihilation of the concern is complete.

The triumph of the Associated Press is a triumph of honest methods, of proper application and of intelligent enterprise. The great capital which the United Press boasted that it commanded met more than its match in the loyal co-operation of the papers-not a few of them struggling dailies-which continued faithful to the Associated Press, because themselves honest in their dealings and unalterably opposed to the virtual muzzling of a free press.

The Los Angeles Times has during all the years of conflict between these rivals in the news-gathering field been a steady and loyal adherent to the cause of the Associated Press. It has never failed nor faltered in its duty, never suffered itself to be seduced by the siren song of the empter, and has never been blind to its true interest, which is that of its patrons. It is a ground-floor member of the triumphant organization, holding a ninety-year contract, ander which it receives and prints each morning the full "night report" which comes to it from every quarter of the civilized and uncivilized globe over more than twenty thousand miles of leased wires under the exclusive control of the Associated Press, the only world-wide newsgathering organization now in exist-

PROTECTIONISTS SHOULD STAND FAST.

Washington advices are to the effect that the Senate Committee on Finance is at work night and day on the new tariff bill, which it is expected will be reported to the Senate at an early day. It is intimated that the Senate committee will make many important changes in the bill as it came from the House, and that these will to a considerable extent be in the direction of lower duties. The Senate can easily overstep the bounds of discretion in this matter. While no duties should be unreason. able or prohibitory, the fact should be borne in mind that the people of the United States have pronounced emphatically and unequivocally in favor of a return to protective principles in our tariff legislation, and they will not be satisfied with anything less than a distinctively protective tariff. Some concessions may properly be made to Senators whose cooperation and assistance will be necessary to the passage of the bill. But such concessions must not take the form of free-trade legislation. The protective principle must be maintained, even at the cost of the failure of the bill, if the situation

should be forced to that extreme. The people have commissioned the Republican party to enact a protective tariff law, and the Republican party is in honor bound to use its best endeavors to carry out that commission in good faith. If the will of the people be defeated by partisan and unwarranted opposition, the responsibility must and will rest upon those who are guilty of offer-

ing such opposition. Better defeat, if defeat or dishono be the only alternatives. The protection forces in both houses of Congress should stand fast. They should nail their colors to the mast-head, and fight for them to the last. Such concessions as are made should be only such as do not involve the vital principle of protection. The opposition can not reasonably ask or expect more. If it comes to dickering and paltering, the protection forces should resolutely refuse to sell their birth right for a mess of freetrade pottage Unless the new tariff be radically different from that now in force, it would better not be enacted into law We want both revenue and protection. Unless the Republican Congress has power to give us both, it cannot fulfill the wishes nor execute the

THE NEW CLYDE

Whatever else may be said against Collis P. Huntington, his worst enemies have never yet accused him of laziness nor a lack of that energy which places the man of mark above the common-place character. As a railroad man he has long held a prominent place in the public eye, and now, at a time of life when most men are thinking of rest and the end of all earthly things, he is preparing to build the largest steamship but two that has ever been modeled on American soil, and launched in American waters.

yard at Newport News some years

There he has built not only a

new line of freight steamers for the New York and Texas trade, but several war vessels, as well. He now proposes to do the extraordinary feat of building a steamer for the China trade which shall be 4950 tons larger than the largest steamer now engaged in the transpacific trade. She is to do the work of both the Rio de Janeiro and the Peru, which are vessels of about four thousand tons each. This will throw those two vessels into the Panama trade indefinitely except when the larger ships are hauled off the China line for repairs. In speaking of his ship-building enerprises to a San Francisco reporter Mr. Huntington said that Newport News is destined to be the Clyde of American. That, however, is a matter open to doubt. Iron ship-building s not yet so permanently established in America that any one place on either the Atlantic or the Pacific can be said to bear the same relation to America hat the Clyde does to Great Britain Just look at the growth of ship-building-and iron ship-building at thaton the Great Lakes within the past seven years. The Great Northern Railway line is operating two steamships between Duluth and Buffalo that are quite equal to anything that plied between New York and Europe welve years ago, and vastly superior in accommodations to any vessel going out of San Francisco in either the Australian or China trade; and if the Welland Canal is ever enlarged so as to admit of the passage of vessels of 10,000 tons, the cities of Cleveland and Chicago would give the Delaware and Newport News a very close race for which should be called the Amer

ican Clyde. Perhaps it is the use of natural gas as a fuel which has cheapened the manufacture of iron plates in the cities of Cleveland, Toledo and Sandusky, or it may be some other cause, but it is claimed by those who pretend to be "in the know" (you know) that vessels of 3000 tons burthen can be built in Cleveland \$8 per ton cheaper than in any Atlantic port, and \$12 per ton cheaper than in San Francisco. This would mean a great deal to the ports along our Great Lakes if once the Welland Canal were enlarged to admit vessels of from 6000 to av. 000 tons. They would not only load grain at Milwaukee, Chicago and other lakes ports direct for Liverpool, Havre and Bremen, but they would also build ships for the trade between California, China and Australia, in competition with the Delaware, Newport News and nearly everywhere

So it seems rather early in the day of iron ship-building in America to talk about any locality as the Clyde of the western continent. The lake tonnage is already a thing of such great and such rapidly increasing magnitude that while it shows but five vessels of over 4000 tons, and the Suez Canal commerce shows thirteen vessels of over 8000 tons, yet the tonnage passing through the canal at arie was nearly double what passed through the Suez Canal. No other nation on earth ever had such an inland commerce as America, because no other nation possesses such rivers and lakes. The future of American maritime commerce is just now a glowing picture for the student of transportation to contemplate.

FOOD AND POPULATION.

Some American papers have recently revived the old discussion in regard to what may happen within few centuries, more or less, in case the population of the world goes on steadily increasing at the present rate. The statement has been published that in a comparatively short time there would not be enough food raised to feed the inhabitants of the earth. Such arguments are based on the supposition that the inhabitants of the world will always be as wasteful in their system of feeding as we in America are today. In considering what amount of food the arable area of the world will produce, the great difference between the nourishing power of various foods that may be raised on an acre of land should be considered. Certainly, if the human race lived chiefly on cattle, it would not take very many years exhaust the supply for the ever-increasing population of the globe. Even grain might give out after a few centuries more, but there are other foods which can be raised in sufficient quantity to feed the inhabitants of the world for almost an indefinite time.

According to Baron von Humboldt, nutriment of bananas is one hundred and thirty-three times greater than that of wheat, and fortyfour times greater than that of potatoes. In other words, an area of land that would produce thirty--three pounds of potatoes would, if planted in bananas, yield four thousand nounds of the latter fruit, contain- and thence by wagon. Her engines

ing all the life-sustaining properties of both potatoes and wheat.

Von Humboldt further asserted that the arable lands in Central America alone can produce enough bananas

The last issue of the Ventura Free Press contains a somewhat lengthy arraignment of Gov. Budd and his methods from the facile pen of John C. Wray, who was clerk of Mr. Melick's Committee on Retrenchment at Sacramento. Mr. Wray fully compensates for the apparent prolixity of his Legislative Aftermath" by the accuracy of his details in the way he exposes Mr. Budd's preparations for a pilgrimage in the direction of the United States Senate. Two years ago there was a very strong element in Los Angeles county opposed, not so much to Senator White, as to some of his henchmen. It was this element that voted a majority of the votes cast the Congressional convention against George S. Patton. On the day following his nomination the anti-White men were still "hot in the collar," and showed their antagonism to the Santa Clara college faction by voting almost solidly for Budd for Governor. They "wouldn't do a t'ing to him" now, if that convention could be held over again this year. Gov. Budd may warm a Senator's seat if he lives long enough, but not as a successor to Senator White. It will take more money than the rake-off of the big dredger job to buy a seat for Budd in the Senate, even granting that the State goes Democratic in 1898, which is far from being one of the probabilities

The idea of organizing a national 'armers' trust, to put up the prices of breadstuffs by throwing only a limited quantity on the market from one month to another, is one of the things that will not work. If all farmers were prudent, careful and industrious, as were the Yankee farmers of sixty years ago, there might be some chance for the problem to be worked out to a successful solution But, unfortunately for this theory, the farmer of today is generally a borrower instead of a depositor at the bank in his market town. His son pays \$50 for a Pullman palace car ticket to the prize fight at Carson and his daughter sings "Just Tell Them That You Saw Me" to the accompaniment of a \$300 piano purchased on the installment plan, while his wife wants a dress, the material of which cost \$15, trimmed and made up by a French modiste at a cost of \$30. Hence it is that so many farmers are in debt and that so many farmhouses are decorated, from time to time, with the Sheriff's red flag. There may be a farmers' trust in this country, but only when farmers and their families go back to the thrifty conditions of the earlier part of the century, and that is not likely to occur.

The idea of Gertrude Franklin Atherton making herself out one of the only three California writers whose work has received any encouragement abroad, reminds one of the county magistrate in the opera of 'The Black Hussar," who was always talking about what "Me and Napoleon" were going to do. It is to be presumed that the lady condescends to let Mark Twain and Bret Harte be the other two favored one. If Mrs. Atherton's literary efforts can be foisted upon any other State as her cradle, let it be done as soon as possible. Her entree into the world of letters was through a story called the "Randolphs of Redwood," that never should have appeared in any family paper like the Argonaut. It held up to the scorn of his surviving acquaintances the name of a man who was honorand a foremost citizen in the progress of San Francisco from a tented village to a metropolitan city. If the little of good that we achieve here on earth is to be forgotten altogether, and the wrongs we do are to be graven on adamant, this life will not be worth living. Fortunately, the works of novelists are but ephemeral, and Mrs. Atherton's will be especially so.

If Gov. Budd is so anxious to proect the dear taxpayers from being plundered, why did he veto the Covote Bill, which was one steal, and give his approval to the Dredger Bill, which is another? He knows very well what that appropriation of \$300,000 for the purchase of a dredger means. It means \$60,000 in commissions to be paid to the gang of sharks that hung about the State Library four years ago and never went to hed as long as there was a job to be thought of. One of these was the Governor's conscience-keeper while he lived in Sacramento, but, now that brother takes his place. THE TIMES does not say that the rivers do not need dredging out for navigation purposes, but it does claim there is such a thing as paying too dearly for one's

A shipbuilding firm proposes to take steamboats overland in sections to the upper waters of the Yukon River and then put them together for navigation of such portions of that stream as cannot be reached from the lower river on account of formidable rapids. The greatest case of inland construction was the building of the steamer Shoshone at Farewell Bend on Snake River in 1866, by the Oregon Steam Navigation Company. of whom only one director is now livfound in that country, but her cabin was gotten out in Portland and then shipped there by steamer to Umatilla

went out that same way, and her boiler was made in San Francisco in the sheets and riveted together by mechanics on the banks of the Snake River. She ran one season at a loss, for the teamsters bound for the Boise mines would not unload their wagons at Farewell Bend to reload them again only seventy miles further up stream in 1870 Capt. Sebastian Miller brought her down over the rocks and rapids to Lewiston, the most perlious voyage ever made by any steamer. In 1871-72 she was employed as a cattle boat be tween the Cascades and the Dalles and in 1873 Cant. J. C. Ainsworth took her over the Cascades to Portland, In 1874 she was wrecked a few miles below Salem, on the Willamette, the least dangerous water she had ever navigated since she was built.

As an indication of the view taken of the extra Congressional session in financial circles, the following extract from the latest financial review of Henry Clews, the Wall street banker, is of interest. He says:

"The special session conveys the feeling that the new administration has taken hold of practical legislation with a will, and is in earnest to remedy the evil conditions from which the country has been so long suffer-ing. There is something inspiriting in the assurance thus conveyed that there will be a speedy end to the deficiencies of revenue and to the em barrassments of the treasury. The new tariff legislation, though eliciting sharp differences of opinion at the outset, inspires confidence in mercan-tile circles by the promise that the outcome will be a revival of our industries under the policy that, up to 1893, had made the country thriving and prosperous. The result of all this is to dispel the discouraging con-sciousness of being surrounded by abnormal conditions and dubious pol settledness which encourages steady pursuit of business. All this is wholesome and conducive to confidence, and the past week has given us foretaste of the better times which it all portends."

The execution of the Borrego mur lerers at Santa Fé was simply an act of justice long deferred. Yet when all things are taken into consideration. it is well that the action of the lav should have inclined toward tardiness. It gave the defense ample time to bring forth everything that could be adduced in favor of the condemned men, and removed all opportunity for their friends to charge the prosecution with an approach in the direction of lynching. And yet, though four lives have been extinguished and four men sent into the presence of an offended Creator, even then it does not restore to life the intrepid and marily Chavez, who fell at their hands.

When we protected our ships in the foreign trade, something over one hundred years ago, we also protected our domestic shipping. The result was that we built up a merchant marine that was the pride of our own country and the admiration of the world. The sooner we return to the wise policy of one hundred years ago, the sooner shall we realize once more the supremacy in the world's carrying trade to which we are justly entitled. Let us have a 10-per cent. discriminating duty in favor of American shipping, and American enterprise and Yankee pluck will do the rest.

The deputy of a United States District Attorney has been obliged, through orders from Washington, to draw an indictment against his poss for using a pair of brass knuckles upon the person of "Psalm" Davis, the only other American beside George Washington who never told a lie. Of course, some of the newspapers in the far-off and effete East the recent prize fight at Carson, but such is not true. Neither Corbett nor Fitzsimmons are such cowards as to use brass knuckles, which are the weapons of highbinders and thieves.

Free-traders are indignant and hor rified because the Dingley Bill places a duty on chickle. Chickle, it is proper to explain, is a by-product of chewing gum. The wild-eyed gentlemen who are denouncing the imposition of a duty on chickle as a menace to our civil liberties and a backward step in the march of civilization, should not lose heart altogether. The situation is not without a ray of hope. The Senate may yet take compassion on humanity and place chickle on the free

The heir to the fortunes and fame of Lord Sholto Douglas came just fifteen days too late. He should have maintained his prestige as heir to the Marquis of Gooseberry by being born on the 17th of Ireland, when Pompadour Jeemes went down before he has removed to San Francisco, his heart-blow of the New Zealand blacksmith.

> The "great objector," who was erstwhile so consipcuous and formidable a figure in the House, no longer out any ice. Czar Reed has given him glassy eye, the marble heart, the cold shoulder and the cut direct,

AT THE PLAYHOUSES.

ATTRACTION TONIGHT. The bill for tonight at the Burbank Theater will be Bartley Campbell's famous stirring melodrama, "The Galley Slave," with Harry Corson Clarke and the Pierson Stock Company in the cast. This play is considered by competent This play is considered by competent critics Campbell's masterplece. It is full of striking situations, is replete with incident and may be depended upon to afford an evening's enjoyment for those who like the drama of striking story and lively action. The play will be continued up to and including next Sunday night with the usual matinées, and next week will give way to a resumption of Mr. Clarke's season of comedy.

At the Churches Yesterday,

Serving the Spirit.

REV. A. A. RICE, pastor of the Universalist Church, preached a sermon on "Serving the Spirit," taking as his text Rom. ii, 27, "Who by the letter . . . doth trangress the law."

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"There are two ways in which the law of God is transgressed, the one by wilful disobedience; the other by unconscious wrong-doing, in which the actor may even believe he is giving God service. Under the latter may be classed the actions of him 'who by the letter doth transgress the law.' All transgression takes us away from Jesus Chriet, who did no wrong, and the letter-serving is one of the chief means of our departing from His ways. By undue service of the letter the Christian church may annul the very spirit which that letter was intended to serve. Our Lord condemned the excess of such service when as He and His disciples at different times were outwardly break-

Lord condemned the excess of such service when as He and His disciples at different times were outwardly breaking the Sabbath, He said to His adversaries, 'It is lawful to do good on the Sabbath day,' and 'the Sabbath was made for man and not man for the Sabbath.'

"We desire to understand the bearing which the text has on the rite of the Lord's Supper, which we today commemorate. In this the letter must be held only as it can serve the spirit. Our service must adjust itself to the right, for the right will not adjust itself to our service. In this city our own church has temporarily abolished the passing of the cup, for we are here not to destroy life by the spreading of microbes, but to fullfil. We hope to observe the communion not with blindness, but with eyes open to the truth, and since we cannot conform the spirit to the letter, let us conform the letter to the spirit. This innovation of the rite, if such it may be called, is evidence of spirit struggling for life and not struggling in each."

To Die is Gain,

D AVID WALK, at the Church of Christ on East Eighth street, based Christ on East Eighth street, based his sermon on the words of Paul, "To die is gain." This is true of any man who lives right. The apostie had previously said, "For to me to live is Christ." Men are exhorted to prepare to die. This is folly. Death needs no preparation. It is life that needs attention. If we live right death will have no terrors. A true conception of Christianity teaches that religion is not to keep men out of hell, but to keep hell out of men; it is not to get men into heaven, but to get heaven into men. Paul knew that what is called death is simply the promotion of the soul. There is no lapse of consciousness or enjoyment. He knew that to depart and be with Christ would for himself be far better; but to abide in the flesh was more needful for others. Dying grace is not what a well man, with a help-less family, needs; but living grace. He does not need a priest so much as a pickax.

The Holy Ghost,

REV. DR. J. S. THOMSON of Unity Church preached a sermon on "Christ's Doctrines Concerning the Holy Ghost," from the text, "The Com orter, the Holy Ghost, whom the Father forter, the Holy Ghost, whom the Father will send in my name, shall teach you all things," John xiv, 26. The Holy Ghost is an attribute, or quality, of God's mind. It is in the neuter gender. It is not a person. In man there are five natures, or five great departments of life; but there are not five persons in man. God manifests Himself to us in wisdom, power, justice, love, spirit, eternity, and infinity, and we call these seven manifestations attributes of God. They are not seven persons in the God. They are not seven persons in the Godhead. As a convenience, and in the God. They are not seven persons in the Godhead. As a convenience, and in the poetical style, we personify attributes, qualities, and things. In the largest sense, God's spirit is divine providence. It preserves, controls, and guides, the universe. It is God teaching His children in all worlds. When a man teaches a student, we do not say that the third person of the teacher performs the work. When God teaches us, there is no reason for saying a third part of Him is engaged in that work. God's mind teaches us. God Himself just as a man's spirit is God Himself just as a man's spirit is the man himself. God had taught Christ the gospel which He brought from heaven to earth, and only God can give us the spiritual sense of that gospel. No higher criticism, no theology, no creed, no confession, no articles of belief, can open to us the scriptures of ternal life. We must be taught World.

The Invisible World,

A T. THE 3 o'clock meeting of the Y.M.C.A., the Choral Club, under the leadership of Dr. Fuller, and the orchestra under the leadership of Prof. M. F. Mason, rendered several selections, after which Rev. E. R. Bennett gave the address, taking for his text the first part of the twelfth chapter of Hebrews: "Wherefore seeing we are compassed about with so great a cloud of witnesses, let us run with patience, the race that is set before us, looking to Jesus the author and finisher of our faith; who for the joy set before Him endured the cross; despising the shame, and is set down at the ing the shame, and is set down at the right hand of the throne of God." The right hand of the throne of God." The cloud of witnesses referred to embraces the throng of loyal saints who have gone before us. We believe they are living now, more intensely than they did when they were upon the earth. This appeals strongly to me, and no doubt to you also. An invisible world hovers above us; we cannot see its inhabitants, but we feel the influence of their lives drawing us up toward them. Everything that would trip us in the race should be laid aside, and everything that would obstruct toward them. Everything that would trip us in the race should be laid aside, and everything that would obstruct our view of the Christ should be gotten out of the way. Running with patience means an energetic pressing forward toward the mark of the prize of our high calling in Christ Jesus. By keeping our eyes on Him, we shall make straight paths for our feet, and become like Him. Let us be strong in the Lord and in the power of His might, and by and by we shall enter into His Joy.

Some Christian Doctrines,

THE Brahmacharin spoke at the Theosophical Society ject, "Some Christian on the sub-Doctrines in and said, in substance, as follows:

"The original teachings of Christian-ity were based on just as sound a basis as any, though they have be-come in time corrupted and degraded. If you look at them in the light of the Hindu philosophy, you will understand the inner meaning veiled in external garb.

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"The doctrine of trinity, for instance, is exactly the same as the Hindu idea of the absolute, the active principle in nature, and the manifested Logas. The original trinity was named the father, mother and son, as can be seen from the gospels of the early Gnastics school of Christians.
"So is the idea of consubstantiation, which maintains that these are one—the substance, for the Hindu philosophy will tell you, most logically and in perfect harmony with modern science, that even in a grain of sand there is a whale of the cosmical force, subjective and objective. How can you believe that the son was in any way different from the father, except in manifestations. Not only Chist was one with the Father, but every man is—he only needs the realization of the

fact. The doctrine of eternal punishment was based on the idea of reincarmation. They say, 'If you do not believe in Christ here on earth, you are to be punished forever.' Now the belief in Christ means imitating Him, being Christ-like, which means 'to be as perfect as your Father in heaven.' by knowing truth which 'shall make thee free.' The Hindus say the same, 'Know truth and be perfect otherwise you will be born again.' Now, suppose every time, a man dies without knowing the truth, and every time he is born ad infinitum till he has known truth right here on earth. Is not that eternal punishment?" The lecturer also explained the meaning of vicarious atonement.

Annual Thank-offering Service,

A T THE First United Presbyte-rian Church the services yester-day evening were under the direc-tion of the Women's Missionary So-ciety, and took the form of the annual thank offering service. Mrs. D. Dallas presided. The choir rendered two anthems very acceptably, and the pastor, Rev. Will W. Logan, gave a short address on "Women's Work for Women." The offerings were then brought forward, each lady reciting a reason for thankfulness or an appropriate verse of scripture as she laid her gift down. The gifts amounted to \$55. After this was announced, Miss Annie Boone led in a prayer of dedication.

The society has raised for its regular work during the year \$80, making a total amount raised during the year of \$135. The annual meeting of the Presbyterial Society will be held in Santa Ana on Wednesday of this week. A number of ladies from the First Church of this city will be in attendance. offering service. Mrs. D. Dallas ed. The choir rendered two an-

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Superintendent C. S. Mason took as the theme of his address at the Pacific Gospel Union, "Plain Facts," and said in brief: "It does not require profound thinking, nor philosophical argument to come to the truth; that 'that which is born of the flesh is flesh,' and he that soweth to the flesh, shall of the flesh reap corruption. Universally, it is recognized as a plain fact; that man is prone to evil, and by nature and practice, "all are gone out of the way." Human nature is human nature the world over. The king and the beggar, the minister and the layman, are by nature the same. First is the natural, afterward the spiritual, and the spiritual is above the natural, guarded by the law of biogenesis—life from life. "Ye must be born from above, not by corruptible things, but by incorruptible, by the word of God, which liveth and abideth forever." This is the fundamental doctrine of Christianity. The necessity of a change Christ emphasized, and that man might receive a new nature by faith in the atonement of Christ. That trine of Christianity.

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Jesus, the Christ, was crucified is the
best authenticated fact in history, and
it is the basis of all hope of a glorified
immortality."

The Destiny of Man,

A LECTURE on "The Destiny of Man as Unfolded by Theosophy," was delivered by Mrs. Egbert at Blavatsky Hall. She said: "The theory of reincarnation is the hypothetheory of reincarnation is the hypothesis that answers most of the riddles of human existence. It was taught by the early Christian fathers, and is accepted by more than two-thirds of humanity today. It gives an orderly method of progress under cyclic law, which we see prevails in all domains of nature, showing alternating periods of work and rest, and thus man's destiny is an ever onward and upward advance toward divinity."

The Carpenter Christ,

R EV. BURT ESTES HOWARD of the First Presbyterian Church preached from the text, "Is not preached from the text, "Is not this the Carpenter." He said in part: "Poor, blinded souls, whose philosophy we have all of us been sharing. They could not see how anything that moved on the level of their own lives could be divine. Their skepticism was not because they could not understand Jesus, it was just because they thought they could understand Him. It was Jesus, it was just because they thought they could understand Him. It was just because He was commonplace and familiar that they douted Him. These men had not learned the sacredness of human life. Jesus could not have been king over men and God's Christ at the same time. And no one knew it better them Himself. Its next knew it better than Him knew it better than Himself. 'Is not this the carpenter?' It is the incarna-tion challenge that calls out in the questioning. It was the question that Jesus met there in the wilderness: 'Shall I be the kind of a Christ the people expect and want—a King-Christ people expect and want—a King-Christ-receiving the piping plaudits of little men on the tinsel throne of Caesar? Or shall I be the Christ of God—just a carpenter-Christ, living God into the world, infusing the comomonplace things of commonplace men with the infinite?" The problem of life, the Christ problem, the lingering struggle whether to be a king or a carpenter with the king's soul meets all of us who are touched with the spirit of God—which is the feeling of the world's infirmities.

The problem of Jesus is the problem of men—to live a God-life in a man's environment, to pervade life's pettiness

environment, to pervade life's pettiness with the breath of the infinite—the with the breath of the infinite—the problem of the carpenter-Christ. Our life is to be lived on the level of the ordinary, where God is trying to work with ordinary men and women—trying to weave His infinity into their filniteness. To him that hath eyes to see, all life is a worship and every commonest thing a fane, a trysting place with the Divine. It is in our friendships and loves, our sacrificial yearnings over men, our deep human sensitiveness to the woes of our brothers; it is in the wounds that are made in our hearts by the sorrows and sufferings of the world; yea, it is in our closeness to the great bleeding side of a stricken and broken humanity that we manifest the Christ spirit, and show forth the truest religion." show forth the truest religion

Beards Disseminate Disease.

THE WEATHER.

WEATHER BUREAU, Los An U. S. WEATHER BUREAU, Los Angeles, April 4.—At 5 o'clock a.m., the barometer registered 30.10; at 5 p.m., 30.05. Thermometer for the corresponding hours showed 48 deg. and 63 deg. Relative humidity, 5 a.m., 33 per cent.; 5 p.m., 64 per cent. Wind, 5 a.m., north, velocity 1 mile; 5 p.m., west, velocity 8 miles. Maximum temperature, 73 deg.; minimum temperature, 46 deg. Character of weather, 5 a.m., clear; 5 p.m., clear. Bayometer reduced to sea level.

ALL ALONG THE LINE.

A San Bernardino rancher has again the two-shoot scatter-gun , is

The San Bernardino Indians have saved their burial ground for the present by threatening to put on war paint, and the bones of their ancestors paint, and the bones of their ancestors will not be plowed up to make room for orange trees. The Indian has but few rights left, but the right to sleep peacefully in his grave is one of the

The prospects of a tariff on wool have encouraged the New Mexican growers, and a Los Angeles man has gone to Albuquerque to operate a scouring plant that was built ten years ago and never used. When New Mexico pays more attention to raising wool and less to raising sheel, her prosperity

While other communities have been talking about good roads, the little town of Covina has been making them, and the benefits are already apparent in the interest shown by visitors and the increased demand for property. Dusty roads discourage people who are looking for pleasant places in which to make homes.

One of the contractors guilty of botching the Main street pavement, is reported to have excused himself on the ground that he was so hurried that it was only possible to give the job
"a lick and a promise." While there
are no substantial grounds upon which to base a denial of his application of the promise, the evidences of the lick have, up to date, remained invisible to

The rattlesnake is thoroughly and aggressively American. His objection to anything British was so notable more than a century ago that he was selected as a representative of the American spirit and pictured upon the banners of some of the revolutionary colonies. Again he has attested his sense of the unworth of British ideas by fastening his fangs in the arm of a San Diegan anglomaniac, who was engaged in the pernicious practice of a form of dissipation, imported from the British Isles, known as "golf."

An expert cigar manufacturer has carefully examined the tobacco grown in San Diego county from Havana to-bacoo seed and gives the opinion that this tobacco is worth 35 cents a pound. He believes that as San Diego growers gain more experience, after their first year's effort and learn how to cure the leaf better, they will be able to produce a more valuable tobacco. As toacco culture in the East is carried on rofitably, where only 8 cents a pound s received, certainly Southern Calinia growers have reason to hope

Y. M. C. A. Concert.

A good-sized audience enjoyed the Smalley Concert Company at the Young Men's Christian Association on Saturday night in the first of a series of three entertainments which the association has secured. Recalls were numerous and were generously responded to. The programme included numbers by the Lady Quartette, readings and a pantomime by Miss Maud Caruthers, is solos by the Misses Esther May Plumb, Gertrude Sprague and Marie Louise Perrine, and a quintette by the quartette and Miss Caruthers. Y. M. C. A. Concert.

No Cyclone at Randsburg. Norton Obear of Randsburg indig-nantly denies that the desert mining camp is addicted to high winds, and denies that the windstorm of a week ago did any damage to buildings. A few tents were blown away, but that was the fault of the owners, who neglected to peg them down and not the fault of the climate. Mr. Obear admits that the wind was strong, but maintains that Randsburg is the great-est place on earth, nevertheless.

Bryan and the Banks.

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[Globs-Democrat:] Mr. Bryan, in his last night's speech, said the recent bank failures are the result of "Republican policy." How can this be? Republican policy does not prevail yet, and will not until several months after President McKinley's inauguration. The next Congress has to pass its tariff bill before any Republican policy will be at work. This truth looks to be elementary, but Mr. Bryan seems not to have grasped it. Many bank failures, it is true, have occurred in the past few weeks, but undoubtedly the number of wrecks would have been eight or ten times as great if the election had gone the other way.

Profit in Tobacco.

Froat in Tobacce.

[San Diego Union:] At the Farmers' Institute at Livermore, Cal., a day or two ago one of the speakers declared that there is more profit in ten acres of tobacco than in 180 acres of grain, and he displayed specimens of a third crop of tobacco grown at Pleasanton this season. The attention that is being paid to the culture of this plant in Callifornia promises much for farmers who have lands suitable for it. A good deal of tobacco will be grown in this State suring the county will probably produce its share.

[Yonkers Statesman:] Mrs. Crimson.

[Yonkers Statesman:] Mrs. Crimson-beak (as her husband comes in late at night.) What does the clock say, John? Mr. Crimsonbeak (with diffi-culty.) Nothing, madam, nothing. It's got sense enough to say nothing.

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NEWS FROM NEW MEXICO

NEW TARIFF PROMISES TO

Ex-Sheriff Taken in by Clever Silver Brick Swindlers—No Ar-rangements for the Pursuit and Capture of Fugitives from Justice-Jottings.

ALBUQUERQUE. April 1.—[Regular Correspondence.] The prospects of a change in the tariff, instead of hurting business here, is proving itself of actual benefit. The rise of 2 cents a pound on wool has resulted in many thousand dollars to the good. That is not the best of it, however. A woolsoouring factory was started here ten years ago. The factory was built, and some machinery put in. It was then found, however, satisfactory rates could not be made for the shipping of wool, and work was suspended. The Santa Fé's recent inauguration of an industrial system along its line has resulted in work being resumed on the factory. Machinery is being put in rapidly, and by the 10th operations will be in full swing. While the favorable action of the railroad is immediately responsible for this factory, it cannot be denied that the outlook for better prices for wool, and the extending of the sheep business in New Mexico and Arizona is an equally important factor. The plant has been leased, and will be operated by J. Wilkerson of Los Angeles, who has had a large experience in the management of wool-scouring mills. Apropos of the wool industry, it may, be added that John Lyon, a St. Louis wool-buyer, has purchased 125,000 pounds of wool here and in this vicin-Louis wool-buyer, has purchased 125,000 pounds of wool here and in this vicin-

SILVER BRICK GAME. SILVER BRICK GAME.

The gold-brick game up to date is not a gold brick at all, but a silver brick. Harvey Whitehill of Silver City, is an ex-sheriff, and altogether too sophisticated to be fooled by gold bricks. But silver bricks—well, they are different. Recently some Mexicans, loaded down with spelter, sold a lot of the stuff to the ex-officer as stolen silver amalgam. He bought silver bricks as long as his funds held out, and then he went to a friend to borrow, and let him in on the scheme. The friend, however, knew more of the scheme than he did, and his wrath, it is said, made a very great explosion, indeed.

NEW MEXICO BREVITIES.

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With eight to thirty feet of snow in the mountains of Colorado fears prevail that by May or June, when it is due here in the shape of meltage in the Rio Grande, it will come as floods of tremendous volume. The building of levees in anticipation of such flood is being discussed.

Atlantic and Pacific engines are being repainted in the style of the Santa Fé locomotives, with rods and tires of steel color.

Two Chinese were recently murdered and robbed in Clayton. The Governor was petitioned to offer rewards for the murderers, but the late Legislature took such powers from him. Hereafter in such cases the sherlifts, who have been in the habit of displaying masterly inactivity until rewards were offered, will be expected to do their duty for their salaries, without extra compensation.

The new Santa Fé management pro-

offered, will be expected to do their duty for their salaries, without extra compensation.

The new Santa Fé management proposes to expend nearly a million dollars in this part of the country at an early date. Albuquerque will come in for a liberal share in improvements at the shops here.

Deming small boys while throwing stones landed what is now called a "boulder" on the head of Master Eddle Matthews so forcibly as to crack the young man's shall in three places.

At the baby show in New York City a Las Vegas, N. M., baby was awarded the diploma as the handsomest baby whose portrait had been received. Issuro Lorenzo Salazar is the little fellow's name. The child is the son of E. H. Salazar of Las Vegas.

The only bill of the last Legislature vetoed by Gov. Thornton was one providing that liquor licenses could be taken out quarterly. This was objected to as permitting the opening of saloons for campaign purposes. Another bill got through, however, which provides that liquor license may be procured quarterly, annually or semi-annually, and in the rush of signing up bills it received the Governor's approval and is now a law.

Among the changes proposed by the Santa Fé system is the reopening of the big Montezuma Hotel, at Las Vegas Hot Springs.

Capt. Charles Nordstrom has been ordered to Santa Fé to relieve Maj. J. L. Bullis as agent of the Pueblo Indians. The change will be made in a few days. Victor Griego, a sheep-herder, while intoxicated, was run over by a passenger train two miles out of Albuquerque and cut into small pieces. He was recommended to the procured and cut into small pieces.

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Natural gas has been struck in the northwest corner of the Territory.

Hydrographic nfeasurements of the Rio Grande between San Marcial and El Paso show 600 feet per second passing at San Marcial, and the loss by seepage and evaporation between there and El Paso to be 400 feet per minute.

A board of cavalry officers at Fort Bayard recommended that the carbine in scabbard be again carried on the right side of the horse, as formerly, when the old sling belt was in use. The present system is to carry the carbine on the left side and the saber on the right, which gives the trooper when he dismounts a better opportunity to secure his carbine, instead of having to go around the horse to do so. It is thought that cavalry officers will not generally agree to change the present method.

Sugar-beet seed has been received here for free distribution, and the assurance is made that if sufficient beets be raised, a sugar factory will be started at albuquerque.

A well-boring apparatus has been purchased by ranchers about Farmington to sink for artesian water to a depth of 500 feet.

A prisoner in the jail here, in male attire, proved to be a woman. Her name is Eugenle Douglas of Kansas City.

The McKinley of Albuquerque President McKinley as a first cousin.

LETTERS TO THE TIMES.

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Filmsy Street Signs.

LOS ANGELES, April 3.—[To the Editor of The Times:] I notice that the Board of Public Works is to recommend that the new street signs be "made of half-linch boards." Why they should desire the boards to be so thin I cannot conceive. Some sixteen years ago, that experiment was tried in this city, with the result that as soon as erected, the signs began to be split, and, in a year or two few were left. It seems to one who in going about the city has found few signs in good condition, that the new ones should be of inch boards with end pleces securely nailed on. It will not only be cheaper in the end, but will save much trouble to those who otherwise would look in vain for street names.

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The unemployed have now been at work for four weeks in Elysian Park. During that time a vast amount has been done, and a splendid showing made for the money. The fund contributed up to date amounts to over \$20,000, and the committee is trying to increase it to \$25,000. With that sum the force can be kent at work for the the force can be kept at work for the next four weeks, and by a gradual re-duction in number, work may be con-tinued for six weeks or longer. That tinued for six weeks or longer. That sum of money, if raised, will enable the committee to complete the work undertaken, and turn the park over to the Park Commissioners with a good water system at the entrance, cement curbs, steps and sidewalks, completed, permanent stone wall, and the bad places on the road protected by rails. The committee will, also be able to complete a system of walks, at picturesque places.

turesque places.

There is a fund of \$2000 in the city treasury, which was raised by assessment for the grading of Hill street.

The grading of this street has been abandoned, and the money in the city

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Sheriff's office	63.00
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Standard Oil Co.	20.50
Street Superintendent's office	35.00
Southern Pacific Co.	343.25
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Troy Laundry	31.50
Times-Mirror Co.	58.00

MUSICAL TREASURES.

IN THE CITY.

A Genuine Guarnerius—The First Grand Piano—Gold Music Box— Chinese and Japanese Curios—A

Within the limits of the city of Los Angeles are more curios in the shape of rare musical instruments than the of rare musical instruments than the casual observer. might suspect, but a patient seeker after the "first" and the "only" in this line, who once starts on a tour of investigation will be rewarded with the sight and sound of more musical treasures than he had dreamed could be found here. To be sure, they are usually the solitary representatives of their kind in the collections of various antiques, for which lections of various antiques, for which Los Angeles people have a penchant, but they are guarded with pride and

but they are guarded with pride and loving care, and in many instances are locked within safes or wrapped in rich and rare old covers appropriate to their dignity.

The splendid oriental room which forms one of the great attractions of Lieut. and Mrs. Randolph Miner's residence, is jammed with treasures rare and beautiful enough to turn a curionunter apoplectic with covetuousness. The collection, which was gathered by Lieut. and Mrs. Miner during their

of silk, and the former is played with a piece of tortoise shell about three inches in length and shaped like a pa-per cutter, while the latter is played with a large and rather clumsy piece of wood.

per cutter, while the latter is played with a large and rather clumsy piece of wood.

J. Bond Francisco enjoys the distinction of being the proud possessor of a genuine Guarnerius violin, which was presented to him as a surprise last week by his brother-in-law, L. F. Gottschalk. It formerly belonged to a ne'er-do-well, known among the Bohemians of Philadelphia as the "Baron," who had been alded times without number through the generosity of Mr. Gottschalk. Finally the "Baron" bestowed upon his friend the old violin which was in a much delapidated condition. Mr. Gottschalk, though unconsclous at the time that he was getting such a treasure, had a vague idea that it was valuable and sent it to a famous authority who pronounced it a genuine Joseph Guarnerius and later sent it out to Mr. Gottschalk, after carefully repairing it. It has a rarely beautiful tone which is brought out to great advantage under Mr. Francisco's artistic playing.

Mr. Francisco is the owner of a number of other fine instruments, including a viola on the Stradivarius model, made by Gemunder, which took the gold medal at the London World's Exposition in 1852, and a cello by the same maker on the same model.

To Mrs. Aroadla B. de Baker belongs the first grand plano ever brought to this coast. It was made to order by Julius Gebauhr, Sr., of Königsberg, Germany, and was sent out, of course, by way of the Horn, as a wedding gift to a forgotten somebody, and was bought some little time later by Mrs.

plaintive songs. The instrument is about eighten inches in length and is said by connoisseurs to possess a remarkably sweet tone.



GROUP OF CHINESE INSTRUMENTS. GROUP OF CHINESE INSTRUMENTS.

The most complete private collection of Chinese instruments in the city is owned by Frederick W. Blanchard. The set includes a dee-dah, a curious wind instrument, evidently a cross between a trumpet and an oboe; a sam yen, which closely resembles the Japanese samasen; the yut kam, ôr moonfiddle, which is almost the counterpart of the galkin; a yee yin, and voo kam, which are the representations of the violin in China; the ti boatt, a drum with a copper head, and a wong seo, or flute, which bears a stronger resemblance to its European counterpart than any other instrument employed by the Chinese.

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IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF THE county of Los Angeles, state of California. In the matter of the estate of Apollonia Huber, deceased. Order to show cause why order of sale of real estate should not be made. No. 1242.

James C. Kays and John Kenealy, as the executors of the estate of sald deceased, having filed a petition herein duly verified, praying for an order of sale of real estate of sald decedent, for the purposes therein set forth. It is therefore ordered, by the said court, that all persons interested in the estate of sald deceased, appear before the said superior court on Tuesday, the 4th day of May, 1887, at 10 o'clock a.m. of said day, at the courtroom of said superior court, department 2 thereof, in the courthouse, in said county of Los Angeles, state of California, to show cause why an order should not be granted to the said petitioner to sell so much of the real estate of the said deceased as shall be necessary.

And that a copy of this order be published

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Dated March 29, 1897.

Notice of Special Meeting, OF STOCKHOLDERS OF VIZNAGAR MINning and Milling Company.

In accordance with a resolution duly passed and adopted by the board of directors of the Viznagar Mining and Milling Company at a special meeting of said board, regularly called and held on the 26th day of February, 1897, and duly entered in the book of minutes of said board, notice is hereby given that a special meeting of said board of said corporation has been called by said board of directors, and the same wild to Wilcox Block, in the City of Los suspeles, "all took Block, in the City of Los suspeles, "all took Block, in the City of Los suspeles, "all took Block, in the City of Los suspeles, "all took Block, in the City of Los suspeles, "all the same being the principal place of business of said company, roughly meets," or Said the object of said meeting is, and the same is called for the purpose of considering the said corporation from \$30,000 to \$500,000.

In witness whereof said board of directors have subscribed their names hereto and caused its president and secretary to said corporation, the Said Corporation, A. W. DAVIS, President Viznagar Mining and Milling Company.

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Cars connect via Port Los Angeles leave S. P.R.R. depot at 1:35 p.m. for steamers north bound.

The steamers Eureka and Coos Bay leave San Pedro and East San Pedro for San Francisco via Ventura, Carpinteria, Santa Barbara, Gaviota, Port Harford, Cayucos, San Simeon, Monterery and Santa Cruz, at 6:30 p.m., April 3, 7, 11, 15, 19, 23, 27, May 1, 5, 9, 13, 17, 21, 25, 29, June 2, 6, 10, 14, 18, 22, 25, 30. Cars connect with steamers via San Pedro leave S.P.R.R. (Arcade Depot) at 5:09 p.m. and Terminal Ry, depot at 5:05 p.m. The company reserves the right to change, without previous notice, steamers, sailing dates and hours of sailing.

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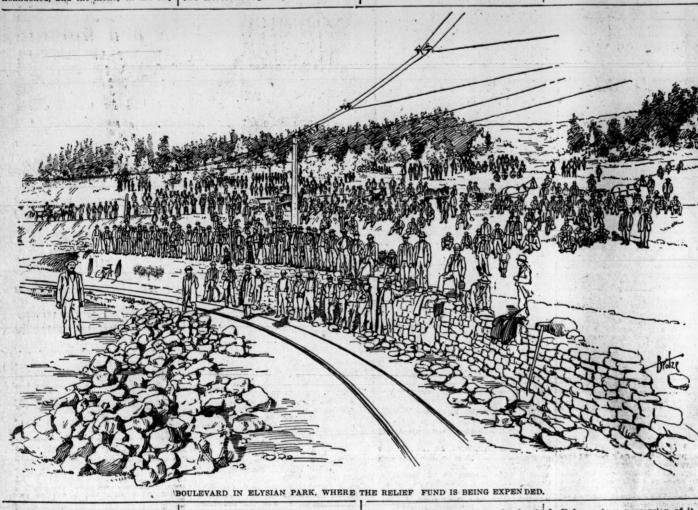




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A large number of people visited the park yesterday. Every one was well repaid for the trip, and general satisfaction was expressed. One great moral effect has been produced by this work. The manhood of the men employed has not been lowered. They have been made to feel an interest in the work. The stone mason, who is doing good stone work at a dollar a day, when he would, under other circumstances, be getting \$4, feels that he is contributing \$3 to the fund, and so also with the plumber, who is putting up the water works, and the blacksmith and the carpenter, who are helping with their skill.

The work of the committee has been approved and supported by the community, as no other like undertaking has ever been approved. These ex-

approved and supported by the community, as no other like undertaking has ever been approved. These expressions are universal:

Kaspare Cohn says: "I am with the committee all the way. They have grasped a serious subject in a practical way, and they are doing a splendid work for the reputation of this city." He has paid \$250.

Jacoby Bros. "This work is a credit to the city, and the best thing that could have been done under the circumstances." They helped with \$100.

F. M. Coulter. "I believe in the way the work is being done. It actually takes it out of the line of charity and it does not destroy the manhood of the employed. It is a good work done in a business-like way." He contributed \$250.

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Simon Maier. "This work is done in a business-like way under the direction of an energetic and competent committee, who are a credit to this city. They are doing a good work in a practical way." He contributed \$100.

Harris Newmark, who was one of the first to subscribe \$250, sent the following letter to the committee:

"When I became one of the subscribers to the fund for the unemployed I did not exactly understand just what was to be done with the money, except that I knew there was great distress among the laboring class, and I was willing to do my share in relieving it. I desire now to give you my personal assurance that I have never contributed money to any cause or for any purpose which has given me so much plensure as that which I subscribed to the fund for the unemployed; and if it becomes necessary to make further efforts to relieve the distress, you may call agalin."

Senator R. N. Bulla says: "The work is one of the most commendable ever done in this city. It is bridging over a danger that existed, in a proctical way, and that it is a success is due to the business-like action of the committee."

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Following is a list of contributions nade by officials and employes of business houses to the relief fund:
Anderson & Chanslor 17.50
Anchor Laundry 32.50
Bishop & Co. 42.73
Bisck & Co. 10.00
E. P. Bosbyshell 4.50
Baker Iron Works 111.5
N. B. Blackstone 35.0
Broadway Department Store 22.7
Citizens' Bank 32.0
Cudahy Packing Co 40.7
Counter Dry Goods Co. 28.7
Capitol Milling Co. 39
County Tax Collector's office 42
County Recorder's office 20
County Surveyor's office 34
County Clerk's office 56
City Tax Collector's office 11
City Engineer's office 12
City Clerk's office 13

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being constructed, the following are furnished by Miss Sarah D. Segur, a teacher of Spanish, in this city:
Via Vistosa—Road of fine views.
Via Consuello—Road of Consolation.
Via Feliz—Happy or fortunate road.
Via Bella—Beautiful road or way.
Via Merced—Road of mercy.
Via Delecia—Elysian road.
Via Pela—Fine or royal road.
Via Real—Fine or royal road.
Via Junipero—Juniper road, after the famous missionary, and the road could be planted with juniper trees.

DEATH OF MRS. STILSON. Woman Celebrated in the Civil

War. A dispatch of recent date from New A dispatch of recent date from New York makes the following announcement: "Mrs. Elizabeth Stilson died at Flatbush, L. I., of pneumonia, aged 75. Mrs. Stilson went to Ohio when a girl, and at Clyde, Sandusky county, O., became celebrated in the early days of the civil war by her activity in assisting to equip the Union troops with clothing, etc. She was an unusually intelligent woman, and among her pupils when she taught school in Ohio were Gen. Rosecrans and others who later became national characters. She was well acquainted with Gen. Sherman and many other leading men."

Mrs. Stilson was one of the pioneers of Northern Ohio, a friend of the Russells and McPherson. She was at his grandparents' house when the boy, James McPherson, afterward the famous grandparend.

James McPherson, afterward the fa-James Mornerson, atterward the la-mous general, came to bid his grand-mother good-by, as he started on foot, with all his worldly possessions tied in a handkerchief, for Green Springs to work in Smith's store. Smith was afterward sent to Congress and soon afterward sent to Congress and soon thereafter appointed young McPherson to West Point. After the general's death the aged grandmother, then in her eighty-eighth year, wrote the famous letter to Gen. Grant, mentioned in his memoirs. She incidentally mentioned to her daughter—the mother of Gen. McPherson—that she had written in his memoirs. She incidentally mentioned to her daughter—the mother of Gen. McPherson—that she had written the letter, when her daughter thought-lessly answered that Gen. Grant was very busy with the army, trying to capture Richmond and discouraged her sending it at that time. She, however, was not satisfied to wait and gave the letter to Mrs. Stilson for her opinion, telling her to read and mall it if she thought best. Mrs. Stilson read and promptly mailed it to Gen. Grant at City Point. And although in the midst of one of the fiercest campaigns in the annals of the war, Gen. Grant found time to send by return mail those beautiful words of consolation, now historic, to the grandmother of his great friend.

Mrs. Stilson was the mother of the late W. W. Stilson of Los Angeles.

STRONGER EVERY DAY.

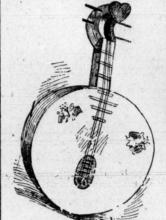
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WILSHIRE Boulevard tract. Sales over

four years' sojourn in the land of dragons and temples, contains two quaint musical instruments, the gaikin and the samasen, and about the for-mer hangs a bit of romance.



GAIKIN. Mrs. Miner, who plays charmingly upon the picturesque affair and also uses it to accompany the fetching Japanese melodies she sings so delightfully, took lessons in Yokohama of a native, who was formerly one of the most famous geishas in Tokio. Mrs. Miner was the old musician's only pupil who was not a native, and as a special mark of her admiration for the charming American, the once-upona-time geisha willed her beloved instrument to her. Mrs. Miner was still in Yokohama at the time of her instructor's death and much to her surprise received the gaikin, all wrapped in silk and presented in person by the women's highered and presented in person by the wo man's husband.

The galkin is a very handsome specimen of its race, and is about two hundred years old. Between the frets are jade ornaments, while at the base of the strings is a square of snake skin. Above this, on either side of the strings are two curiously-carved dragons, while on the back are painted plum blossoms, the symbol of music, with a poem in the native language. Inside hangs a sweet-toned gong and a bit of time-worn and yellowed card on the back, bears the name of the Chinese maker.

SAMASEN.

maker.

The samasen is a picturesque instrument of the variety used by the geishas, with both sides of the body covered with a kind of sheepskin. The strings of both gaikin and samasen are

de Baker, whose possession of it dates back to the year the Americans captured California. The case is of rosewood, curiously carved, and in place of the graceful curves now employed, are five sharp angles. The tone is still good, but lacks in carrying power.

Capt. Gilbert E. Oventon owns a musical curio in the shape of an old guitar which he found in a junkshop in Antwerp five or six years ago. It is probably of Italian make and has a very beautiful tone. The finger-board is swaled out between the frets and the keys are curiously set in the head. By means of a key, the finger-board can be unlocked and separated from the body of the instrument, which is covered with cleverly painted drinking and gaming scenes.

Probably the most unique curio in the way of musical instruments in the city is the wonderful gold music box owned by Mrs. M. A. Wilcox, and given to her by Don Pio Pico, who bought it at the height of his career, paying for it \$1000. The box, which is of solid gold, was made in Paris long ago, and is a most remarkable specimen of mechanical

beight of his career, paying for it \$1000. The box, which is of solid gold, was made in Paris long ago, and is a most remarkable specimen of mechanical art. The box is about four inches in length, two and a half in width and two in depth, and is covered with the richest chasing. In the the center of the cover, inside as well as out, is a medallion exquisitely enameled on the outside in a Watteau scene, and on the inside with a cluster of morning-glories. In response to the turning of a golden key, the cover opens and there appears from its abode in the depths of the box, a tiny but exquisitely perfect little bird, clad in rainbow-tinted plumage of real feathers. He flaps his tiny wings, and opens his tiny beak, showing the smallest of tongues within, and there pours forth the sweetest of songs. His little burst of melody finished, he darts below and is covered by a rolden grating.

H. B. Kendrick numbers among his treasures an ancient Japanese flute and a biwa, the latter a stringed instrument much effected by the Japanese nobility. It was adapted from the Chinese, and its name changed to biwa on account of its fancled resemblance in shape to Lake Biwa, the largest and most beautiful lake in Japan. The instrument, which is about 500 years old, is make up of different woods, the neck being of ebony, the keyboard of boxwood, and the upper side of the body of keyaki wood. Its strings are of silk and it is played with a piece of boxwood. Its case, which exactly fits it, is of ancient and very beautiful brocade.

The flute, which is much the size of the ordinary instrument, is made of ebony, and is mounted and bound in silver, with decorations of silver ropes. Its age is counted among the hundreds.

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The only Erard harp in California, and probably the only one west of Chicago, is owned by Mrs. Ferd C. Gottschalk, who is a very fine performer on the beautiful instrument. It is a real Gothic harp, of which there are only a very few in America, and is of ful concert size, It was made in 1835 in Paris by the famous Pierre and Sebastian Erard, and was restored at the time of its purchase by Mrs. Gottschalk two years ago, by J. G. Morley of London, who was formerly one of the head workmen in the original Erard factory. Mrs. Gottschalk, who was in Stuttgart with her husband, who was then United States Cousul, sent her order over to Morley, who was six months in finding and restoring the instrument. Mrs. Gottschalk played often with Krieger, who was the harpist at the Stuttgart Theater, and also in concert. Her playing was a charming feature of last year's fiesta concert, when she used the famous Erard instrument.

Mrs. Dean Mason owns an odd little ukafili, or Hawaiian guitar, which she got of an old basket-maker in the islands, who used it to accompany his

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Standards can be examined, and printed instructions and specifications and plank proposals will be supplied upon application to this office. The right is reserved to reject any or all proposals or to walve any informalities therein.

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Envelopes containing proposals should be indorsed "Proposals for Bedsteads," and addressed to the undersigned.

F. K. UPHAM, Treasurer.

Approved: J. G. ROWLAND, Governor.

Notice

NOTICE
Of Members' Meeting of the Congregation By nat Brith.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT A special meeting of the members of the Congregation Brinal Brith of Los Angeles, California, will be held at the vestry rooms of the temple of said congregation, on the N.B. cor. of Ninth and Hope streets, in Los Angeles city, California, on Thursday, April 15, 1897, at 7:30 p.m., to consider the adoption of the new by-laws, to be proposed at said meeting by the board of trustees, in the place of the present constitution and by-laws of said congregation.

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PASADENA.

AMERICUS CLUB PREPARING FOR ITS PART IN LA FIESTA.

th Enthusiasm Among its Mem-bers—Valley Hunt Club Elects Officers for the Coming Year-Bait Club Annual Meeting - Promi-nent Eastern People Visit Santa

PASADENA, April 4.—[Regular Correspondence.] That the Americus Club will make gallant response to the summons of Her Majesty, the Queen of La Fiesta, is clearly evident. Prior to the meeting held Saturday evening, doubts were expressed by some memdoubts were expressed by some members as to the possibility of getting a sufficiently large number to make a creditable appearance. Many did not clearly understand the invitation of the Executive Committee of La Fiesta the Executive Committee of La Fiesta nor fully appreciate the high honor conferred upon the club. There is now no doubt that the men will enter at once with enthusiasm upon the pre-paratory drills and that the club will make a brilliant appearance in the great floral parade.

As the Queen's guard of honor in the

As the Queen's guard of honor in the greatest spectacle of the entire fiesta, the club will have the most conspicuous position that could possibly be accorded to it. It will have an opportunity to win new laurels for itself and to add to the fair fame of Pasadena. The tourists who will gather to witness La Fiesta will carry the name of the Americus Club to all parts of the country.

Necessarily the work of preparation will demand some self-sacrifice, but the spirit of entusiasm already demonstrated is abundant evidence that the club will fully maintain the high reputation it has won in the past. The utmost satisfaction has been expressed both in Pasadena and Los Angeles since it has become known that the invitation of the Executive Committee has been accepted. Hearty coperation is assured from the city of Pasadena. It is probable that the business houses of this city will close on the afternoon of the parade, so that employes who are members of the club may be free. After the parade the club will be entertained by F. K. Rule, president of La Fiesta, at the Jonathan Culb. VALLEY HUNT ANNUAL MEET-ING.

The anual meeting of the Valley Hunt Club was held Saturday evening at the clubhouse. Reports were presented by the treasurer, secretary and chairman of the various committees. The election of officers for the coming year resulted in the choice of William Stanton as President, N. W. Bell, Vice-president; R. I. Rogers, Secretary, and W. R. Staats, Treasurer. These officers, with C. B. Scoville, will coastitute the board of directors. Mrs. R. J. Dobbins was elected chairman of the House Committee, Mrs. C. H. Torrey and Miss Bolt being the other members of the committee. at the clubhouse. Reports were pre

THE BAIT CLUB. The Balt Club held its annual meeting Saturday afternoon at the office of the Electric Lighting Company. H. of the Electric Lighting Company. H.

3. Reynolds was elected president for he coming year, L. C. Torrence, Sectetary and Treasurer: Walter Wottyns, George B. Post and F. S. Dagrett, with the president and secretary, were named as the Executive Committee. H. R. Hertel, L. J. Huff, Mr. Jowning and John McDonald were lected to membership.

Preparations for the coming season were discussed at some length. Several parties have already arranged to list the club quarters in the San Garriel Cafion during May and June.

TRIP TO SANTA MONICA.

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A large party of prominent eastern cople went to Santa Monica Saturday morning by special electric car as the guests of D. B. Dewey. The party left Pasadena at 10 o'clock, and the run to Santa Monica was quickly made. An elaborate dinner had been prepared at the Arcadia Hotel. The afternoon was spent upon the beach, prepared at the Arcadla Hotel. The afternoon was spent upon the beach, and the party arrived again in Pasadena about 6 o'clock The guests invited were old friends of Mr. and Mrs. Dewey, and among them were a number of prominent Chicago and Rockford people.

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The party consisted of: Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Talcott, Mr. and Mrs. John H. Sheratt, Mr. and Mrs. T. D. Robertson, Mr. and Mrs. John Barnes and two children, Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Woodruff, Mrs. Sackett, Rockford, Ill.; Mr. and Mrs. Andrew McNally, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Thrall, Mr. and Mrs. S. W. Stone, Dr. W. J. Hawkes, D. R. Cameron, Ex-Gov. and Mrs. John L. Beveridge, Mr. and Mrs. P. J. Beveridge, Mrs. Agnes Patten, Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Cone, Mrs. Frank A. Alpin, Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Hoag, Mr. and Mrs. D. B. Dewey, Chicago; Mrs. McHenry, Dennison, Iowa; E. C. Webster, Pasadena.

UNIVERSTALIST CHURCH CON-UNIVERSTALIST CHURCH CON-

CERT.

The sacred concert given this afternoon at the Universalist Church was, as usual, largely attended. The following programme was given: Organ prelude (selected) Miss Ina

Goodwin.
Invocation and Gloria.
Quartette, "Jerusalem," (Gounod)—
Miss Jones, Mrs. Kendall and Messrs.
Lucas and Kendall.
Violin solo, "Adagio" (Ries)—Edwin

Violin solo, "Adagio" (Ries)—Edwin H. Clark. Soprano solo, "Save Me, O God," (Randeggor)—Miss Elizabeth Jones. Organ offertory (selected)—Miss Ina Goodwin.

Hymn.
Trio, "How Lovely Are Thy Dwellgs Fair," (Marston)—Miss Jones, Mr.
ad Mrs. Kendall.
Address by the pastor, Rev. Mr.

Jones.
Cornet solo, "It Was not So to Be,"
(Abt)—Edwin H. Clark.
Quarette, "He Shail Come down Like
Rain," (Buck)—Miss Jones, Mrs. Kendall, Messrs Lucas and Kendall.

ARRIVALS AT HOTEL GREEN. ARRIVALS AT HOTEL GREEN.
Among the recent arrivals at Hotel
Green are the following R. H. Fleming, Mrs. R. S. Critchell, Miss Critchell,
Mr. and Mrs. *Charles T. Trego, Chicago; Mrs. David Atwood, Miss Atwood, Madison, Wis.; Mr. and Mrs. R.
S. Chase, Haverhill, Mass.; C. T. Ashman, New York; Mrs. A. V. Burnett,
Mrs. Annie M. Moores, Fort Worth,
Tex.

PASADENA BREVITIES. The South Pasadena Improvement Association has been organized with the following officers: A. M. Merwin, president; H. W. Coam, vice-president; Mrs. M. C. Graham, secretary and treasurer. These officers, with Mr.

Lantz and Mr. Longley form the Exec-

T. E. Gibbon returned from Washington Saturday night, and will probably appear before the Council Monday afternoon in behalf of the Terminal's application for a street railway franchise.

franchise.

Mrs. Lyon and the Misses Lyon of Detroit, Mich., who have been guests at the Crown Villa for the winter have gone to Hotel del Coronado.

Prof. E. B. Hoag and his party of Throop students have returned from San Clements.

San Clemente.

Judge Cody of Palmetto Drive ex-pects to return soon to Chicago with pects to return soon to Chicago with his family. The Board of Trade directors will meet Monday at 9:30 a.m.

Lewis C. Rauch of Philadelphia the Crown Villa. Dr. Colburn of Washington, D. C., is at the Crown Villa.

Linen grenadine ribbons, Bon Accord That Easter costume can be found at Bon Accord in the latest creations in

SANTA BARBARA COUNTY

THE SUMMER SEASON IS FORMALLY OPENED WITH A GRAND BALL.

of Applicants for Official Posi-tion-Activity in the Bean Mar-ket-Lively Demand for Expert

SANTA BARBARA, April 4.-[Regular Correspondence.] The summer sea-son opened yesterday in Santa Barbara with a full house. It was heralded with a grand ball at the Arlington and numerous parties in different parts of the city. Today the populace was out for a walk or a drive, congregating in great numbers at Plaza Del Mar the afternoon to enjoy the first and concert of the season. The new bath-house was a much-discussed sub-Ject today on the water front, and the prattle of those whose knowledge of watering places is world wide was very flattering to the future of this seaside resort. The trolley road, with the Arlington at one end and the bath-house at the other, feels that it has the inside track.

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Members of the Board of Supervisors Members of the Board of Supervisors from over the mountains arrived in town this evening and are already being buttonholed by the numerous applicants for appointment as constable to fill the unexpired term of C. H. Kelton, deceased. Public opinion points to Clarence Kelton, son of the deceased, as the coming official. Many members of the Republican County Central Committee are also in town tonight and will hold a meeting Monday evening for the purpose of considering Federal appointments.

BEANS ON THE BOOM.

BEANS ON THE BOOM. Nine carloads of Lima beans were Nine carloads of Lima beans were shipped yesterday by the association from Ventura county. Seven cars went out from Ventura City and two from Montalvo. The directors of the association held a meeting at Montalvo yesterday and make a most encouraging report. While they were compelled to recede a peg from the 2-cent limit, it was only temporary and the prospects are good for higher figures. All the beans on the Coast are in the pool and each owner will be paid a pro rata of all sales, so that the average price received will be enthe average price received will be en-tirely satisfactory. The acreage to be planted to Limas in Ventura county this year is fully three thousand less than that of last year, sugar beets claiming the ground.

SANTA BARBARA BREVITIES.

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It sounds well for Santa Barbara when Los Angeles county citrus fruit men come here in search of experts. We have them, but they are all engaged. A. P. Griffiht of Azusa was here during the week looking for a suitable man to superintend the Lemon Packing Company's business at that place. He found plenty of men, but his inducements were not sufficient to entice them from Santa Barbara and present employment.

The April meeting of the Santa Barbara Horticultural Society will be held at the residence of James Morgan in Montecito on Wednesday, April 7. There will be the usual basket dinner at noon and the meeting will be called

at noon and the meeting will be called in business session at 1:30 p.m. The subject of pruning lemons will be a leading topic.

George J. Reeves of this city and Mrs. Currier of Michigan were united in marriage at the home of Mrs. L. P. Langley, No. 728 East Haley street, last evening, Rev. C. A. Westenberg officiating.

The new ventilating apparatus at the city water tunnel will be in working order Monday, and work will continue unhindered by gas.

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A number of Santa Barbara people spent yesterday in Ventura, attending a musical rehearsal of Mrs. R. O. Hicks's pupils.

Prof. C. Y. Roop and M. B. McDuffie will discuss the money question on Tuesday evening.

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The first trout of the season have arrived in the markets.

AZUSA, April 4.—[Regular Correspondence.] Now that it is pretty well ascertained that the San Gabriel Power Company will at once begin work or the electrical plant in San Gabrie Cañon, there is already a better feel ling among the property-owners of this section, as it appears certain that Azusa, Covina and Duarte will be greatly benefited by the plant. It is significant that the contracts made with the owners owners the the significant that the contracts made with the power company provide that these three towns shall be provided with electricity at a rate 25 per cent. less than the rates charged to any less than the rates charged to any other user of the electricity which may be generated. With the assurance that electrical power can be obtained at these towns at that discount, it would seem that there should be no difficulty in securing many factories which require power but not heat. At any rate, the contracts undoubtedly assure a plentiful use of electricity in this section for illuminating purposes.

Another feature of the benefit to be derived from this plant is the belief that the power company will be able to bring about a compromise between the users of the surface and the underground flow of the San Gabriel, and thus take the contentions out of littigation.

Too Good to Hope For.

[Truth:] Mamma. Freddle, Freddle, how often have I told you not to mock the peculiarities of others? If you do you'll grow just like them.

Freddle (after a long pause.) Ma, if I mocked the elephant very hard do you suppose I'd ever grow so's I could pick apples over the fence with my nose?

nose?

A two-fpot vein of decomposed quartz, assaying \$35 in gold, was developed in a Gold Creek claim last week.

ORANGE COUNTY.

GROWTH OF THE CELERY INDUS.

Increased Acreage Next Year-A Gun Play and Three Cornered Foot Race-A Tomato Tree Bearing Fruit in the Santa Ana

SANTA ANA, April 4.—[Regular Correspondence.] The celery harvest in the peat lands west of Santa Ana is concluded, and it has been a most profitable one. There have been 250 carloads or ten trainloads of twentyfive cars each. The celery is conservatively valued at \$1500 per car, which would make the total output sent East represent \$375.000. This amount of money represents only what was shipped East, that disposed of locally being over and above the long row of figures

given.

The celery industry was started only about four years ago in the peatlands, and already it has grown to wonderful proportions.

The celery-growers are already preparing for next year's crop and from present indications, there will perhaps be twice the acreage that there was the past ear. The past season's crop was shipped mostly to Kansas City, Chicago and St. Louis,

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RAINES GOT THE DROP.

A good story is being told in Santa Ana today of how J. B. Raines, a resolute rancher of the peatlands, got the drop on two of his neighbors yesterday and compelled them to do his bidding.

It transpired, so the story goes, that Mr Raines was laboring under the impression that crows were playing havoc in his celery beds, and he accordingly armed himself with his shotgun and went out to the seed beds in the hope of getting a wing shot at the intruders. He had not been watching long until two of his neighbors hove in sight carrying a Winchester rifie and a spade. It seems that the neighbors had been having some trouble over the location of a ditch between their lands, and that considerable feeling had been worked up, so when Mr. Raines recognized the men approaching he bethought himself of some method to successfully cope with the two, for he anticipated some trouble. The two men came up. There were some differences of opinion as to the proper location of the ditch, and finally the neighbor having the rifle handed it over to his companion with the evident intention of taking the spade to fill up the ditch. Mr. Raines saw his opportunity, and stepping in line with the two men quickly cooked his old shotgun and commanded them both to desist. Mr. Raines is naturally a little nervous, and when his two neighbors saw his twitching foreinger curve around the trigger of the old gun, the cold sweat began to coze from their temples. The man with the spade suddendy became possessed of the idea that he had no ditches to fill, and broke down across the field as fast as his feet could carry him His companion did not care to play a lone hand when the other fellow had him looking down his shotgun barrel, so he too, relieved himself of a warrwhoop and followed suit, dropping his rifle as he started in order to make the best possible time. Mr. Raines, seeing that he had both his adversaries on the run, gave chase, and such a foot race has not been wit

FELL FROM A SCAFFOLD. Charles Barton, a painter, fell from a scaffold at Capistrano yesterday, while engaged in painting a house, and

came near being killed. He was brought here on a stretcher. The best of care may save his life. A TOMATO TREE. Beside other wonderful things in the Santa Ana Valley, tomatoes are raised on trees. A sample of these trees can on trees. A sample of these circs can to Honolulu was a large of the premises of F. J. every officer on the ship knows that crocker, who resides on a ranch between Santa Ana and Orange. Mr. Crocker states that the tree is about Crocker states that the tree is about A mateur Naturalist Leri Mossholder Amateur Naturalist Leri Mossholder and the samplest cottonleast calculation, eight inches in

the least calculation, eight inches in diameter, and it is fully ten feet tall. The fruit of the tree is now maturing, and already a sample has been picked and forwarded to the secretary of the Los Angeles Chamber of Commerce to be placed on exhibition in the Orange county display. The tomatoes, when ripe, are a bright red color and are shaped like an egg. The flavor is very fine.

Review of the Condition of the Beet Crop.

CHINO, April 4.—[Regular Correspondence.] The Champlon has made a careful summary of the condition of the beet crop, as follows: "Beet planting is now in full swing,

and every day adds hundreds of acres of ground seeded. The season at the present time, however, is late and the weather tending to delay the growth of the crop. We need more warm,

weather tending to delay the growth of the crop. We need more warm, sunny days to give the young plants a strong, vigorous growth.

"In an interview yesterday with L. Hache, agricultural superintendent for the factory, that gentleman told us that there are now planted for this factory about four thousand acres, of which 1200 are on the Chino ranch, 2600 acres about Anaheim and 170 acres in Ventura county. Anaheim has 1500 acres yet to plant, making a total of 4100 acres to be devoted to the crop there. Thinning commenced at Anaheim last week, and there are now about 100 acres thinned.

"On the Chino ranch work is progressing well. There are here, besides the 1200 acres already planted, about 2000 acres plowed but not planted. A few fields are now about ready for thinning.

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"Mr. Hache says that a species of fiea has done some damage to the plants on the upper lands, but he does not anticipate any danger from worms. He says that worms have heretofore worked mostly on the dry land, and the acreage of that class of land now being devoted to beets is comparatively small—only 206 acres this year on the Chino ranch, and this is more than we would have had but for the abundant rains.

"Mr. Hache considers that the prospects for a big crop are remarkably good, although it will be a little late, on account of the cold weather. He referred to a comparison of the average mean temperature of the past week with the same week in 1895 and '96. In 1895 the week's mean temperature was 61; in '96 it was 66; and this year it has been 53—decidedly cold for the season. It had been hoped to commence harvest this year earlier

than in any previous year, but that will now probably be impossible, al-though it is yet early to predict when harvest can commence."

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COVINA, April 4.—[Regular Correspondence.] More work is being done this year than ever before in the improvement of the roads about Covina The main roads leading into town have been put in excellent shape, and now it is a pleasure to drive through th ery is Leased. it is a pleasure to drive through the county where before a cloud of dust was continually encountered. While the county road fund has been called on for aid in this work, very much of it has been done by voluntary contributions of time and money. No person can pass through this section without having the fact that the good roads movement has struck Covina forced on his attention.

movement has struck Covina forced on his attention.

Rev. E. G. O. Groat has received a call to the pastorate of a church in Merced. The salary offered is a great improvement over that received here.

During the past few days a number of real estate sales have been made, and there is evidence that Covina property is becoming more and more an attraction to the eyes of the newcomers to California.

A meeting has been called for Tuesday evening to organize an association for the conduct of a free reading-room. The Argus has succeeded well in its canvass for funds for that purpose, having secured pledges for about \$70 cash and \$15 per month.

SAN DIEGO COUNTY.

VICIOUS RATTLESNAKE.

adelphia Preparing to Sail for Honolulu - Subscriptions Raised

SAN DIEGO, April 4 .- [Regular Correspondence.] Members of the Florence Heights Golf Club had a thrilling experience yesterday afternoon which some of them may remember for the balance of their lives. Charles N. Clark gave one of the golf balls a tremendous blow. sanding it spinning along the link course for a long distance. The ball stopped in a small clump of bushes in the City Park. One of the players stooped and thrust out his hand to take the ball from the bushes when a black streak shot at the man's hand and fastened itself in the thick sleeve of his fastened itself in the thick sleeve of his coat, narrowly escaping the bare flesh of the hand. The golfer drew back with a horror-stricken look on his face, for he knew instantly that he had been close to the deadly fangs of a vicious rattlesnake. His comrades finally succeeded in getting the rattler off from his arm and killed the reptile, which wis between four and five feet long and had fourteen rattles. The snake appeared lean, hungry and exceptionally vicious, even for a rattlesnake, and its very quick movements increased the wonder of the spectators at the escape of the golf player without receiving a dose of the deadly venom in his hand.

ELECTRIC LIGHTS. The business men and citizens generally were very much exercised yesterday at the prospect of again having this day at the prospect of again having this city in darkness last night because of the failure of the delegates of the City Council to arrange a contract with the electric-light company for furnishing public lights. The contract has passed the Aldermen, but certain delegates, for reasons that are regarded as peculiar, refused to agree with the Aldermen. Citizens circulated a petition asking the electric company to turn on the lights pending definite action by the city and the light company has compiled.

The lighting contract ought to have been completed on April 1, but hocus pocus methods in the Council, which receive the general censure of the people of the city, caused the failure noted.

FLAGSHIP PHILADELPHIA.

FLAGSHIP PHILADELPHIA. The U.S.S. Philadelphia was a busy place yesterday. Large lighters filled with coal were alongside and all hands with coal were alongside and all hands were busy stowing away fuel and stores preparatory to sailing for Hono-lulu at the earliest possible moment, which means any time between now and next Tuesday or Wednesday. The order from the Navy Department to go to Honolulu was a "hurry call," and every officer on the ship knows that such a call means business.

has captured one of the smallest cotton-tail rabbits ever seen here. This tiny has captured one of the smallest-cottor tail rabbits ever seen here. This tin but perfectly-formed bunny is on three inches long. The rabbit seems all solutely fearless and lies in the palm of a man's hand as contentedly as it woul amid the sage brush of its native heat amid the sage order in the next learn.

Congressman Castle, who represents this district at Washington, is being severely censured for his opposition to the Tariff Bill, which ranchers are so desirous to have enacted. This opposition by Castle is regarded as being detrimental to every produce-grower in the district.

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About \$11,000 has been subscribed for the building of the twenty-two miles of railroad from Fosters, the terminus of the Cuyamaca road, to Ramona in the

Santa Maria Valley. The fish-commission steamer Alba-tross sailed outside on Saturday to test her engines preparatory to the cruise off Catalina Island.

The U.S.S. Thetis, Commander U. sebree, is due from the Gulf of California about April 10. the steamer Carlos Pacheco arrived rom Ensenada this morning.

The schooner Haleyon has arrived

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Scripps are en route to Detroit, Mich. W. J. Hunsaker, Esq., is here from

"Mrs. Lincoln's Zounves. "Mrs. Lincola's Zouaves."

Julia Taft Bayne, in February St.
Nicholas, describes the pranks of "Wilille and Tad Lincola" in the White
House. The President's sons were
playmates of her brother "Budd." Mrs.
Bayne writes: About this time they
formed a military company called "Mrs.
Lincola's Zouaves." She gave them a
flag, and they were reviewed by the
President from the portico. The Secretary of War promised to furnish light
(condemned) tifles, but I do not remember whether they were ever armed
or not, for the company dwindled until

SAN BERNARDINO COUNTY

RIVERSIDE OUTBIDS FOR THE SUMAN MILL.

of the Indian Troubles - John Morongo and Chief Pablo Differ. Sorting out the Players-Cream-

SAN BERNARDINO, April 4.-[Regponent, San Bernardino. It has secure the Suman flouring mill from Colton ter location. The site of a mill that was burned in this city some years ago was sought as a suitable place for the mill when it made a change of base. John V. Suman secured the spot and the use of the old ditch and water and began his preparation. First he cemented the ditch and covered it to keep out storm water and debris and hauled in his foundation rock— and stopped. He claims to have expended \$2800 in this preparatory work, and then he asked for a subsidy. Riverside at this point took up the thread of investigation, and finding he was open to arguments of a financial nature, asked what sum would secure the removal to that city. Scenting a picnic, Mr. Suman stated that \$5000 would about be the figure, and at the same time quietly told San Bernardino capitalists that only \$2000 would be needed to bring it to that city. Efforts were made to secure the amount, but while San Bernardino was raising the sum of \$500, its more active rival filled up a subscription paper to the \$5000 mark and the mill goes to Riverside. What to do with the improved mill site, the cement ditch and the foundation rock is now the question. A tannery and erside at this point took up the thread cement ditch and the foundation rock is now the question. A tannery and shoe factory are both talked of to work up the product of Rialto to a small extent. There is some talk of a barley roller, and other plans are given to the breeze, only to be blown away with the flouring mill. The most feasible plan is to locate the creamery there and run it by water instead of steam. This would prove quite a saving in expense and may be done.

INDIANS CALL THE TURN.

INDIANS CALL THE TURN. The bold stand taken by the Indians in regard to their burial place, which was about to be plowed under to make way for an acre of oranges, has had its influence and the other side has called a halt. Noel Davenport, clerk of the Mission Indian agency, came in from Perris, Saturday and conferred from Perris Saturday and conferred with Messrs. Hubbard and Johnston, the representatives of the Los Angeles Bank, and the three held a talk with the aggrived Indians, with the result that a truce was declared until word can be sent to Washington and a commissioner arrives with power to act in the case. In the meantime the burial place is not to be disturbed.

INDIAN CIVIL WAR. Chief John Pablo has made a com-plaint of the wrongs inflicted upon his tribe by the whites, and instead of making it to the authorities, only to have it pass unheeded, he brought his grievances to public notice through the daily press, and brought upon himself the displeasure of Estudilo, the Indian agent, who has in consequence ordered his arrest. A reply to his complaint was made over the signature of John Morongo, member of the United States Indian police. Probably Pablo will be heard from again in regard to the matter.

PLAYING FOR KEEPS. tribe by the whites, and instead of

PLAYING FOR KEEPS.

The game of baseball Sunday was not for either side to win, so the not for either side to win, so the score counts for nothing; it was 10 to \$\$ in favor of the Willards against the Santa Fé team, but it was a game where each man plays alone against the others, for each man is playing for position in the new team, and if he can make a brilliant play to show his sown skill that may ruin his side, it is, of no moment to him. The respective captains, Faris and McNeal, will call the fortunate ones together Monday call the fortunate ones together Monday for organizing a new and better team, to comprise a dozen of the best play-ers in the city.

SAN BERNARDINO BREVITIES. The persons who looted the Weis winery last week have been discovered through one of them, an Indian named Chico, getting drunk over the wine stolen and being arrested. While wine stolen and being arrested. White-drunk he went to the Daley ranch and assaulted Gorgonio Valec, a Mexican, injuring him badly. This located the source of supplies for the drunk, and the burglary was admitted.

The creamery has proved a success and the directors have leased it to the president of the company, John E. Light, who will hereafter have sole charge of the running of it.

SCIENCE NOTES.

Electric light is being introduced in

Spools are turned and bored by a simple machine, which is said to be able to complete from 5000 to 6000 per Lowell, Mass.—the Spindle City-uses

Lowell, Mass.—the Spindle City—uses the water-power of the Pawtuckett Falls on the Merrimac and makes 145,000 miles of cotton cloth every year.

To encourage the building of rail-roads the Arizona Legislature passed a law exempting from taxation for fifteen years all roads commencing op-erations within six months of its pas-

The council of the American Geo-graphical Society has indorsed the plan of Lieut. Perry for the continuance of his North Pole explorations, and recommends that the society subscribe toward the next expedition. Although Finland has 2,000,000 Finish and only 200,000 Swedish inhabitants, the official language has hertofore been Swedish. A bill has now been intro-duced making a knowledge of both languages compulsory on all govern-ment employés.

ment employés.

While the number of Protestants in Bavaria increased between 1890 and 1895 by 4.52 pr cent. and that of Catholics by 3.88, the number of Hebrews decreased by 0.25 per cent., owing chiefly, it is believed, to marriage with Christians and the attendant conversions. The proportion of Jews to the population is 1 per cent.

Germany has made some bold experiments at railroad speed on the line

ments at railroad speed on the line between Berlin and Gorlitz. The best performance was 65% miles, which was performance was only links, which was twelve miles better than the highest speed of the fastest German train, the Berlin-Hamburg lightning express, which does 17.74 miles in three and one-half hours. Ordinary German express trains make 48½ miles an hour.

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Extraordinary stories are sometimes told of the immense tides in the Bay of Fundy. The scientific facts in regard to them have recently been published by the Canadian Geological Survey. The bay is about 145 miles long, and gradually narrows and becomes shallower as it penetrates the land. The upper part divides it no two main branches, and several small side bays exist. The highest tides at the mouth of the main bay reach eighteen feet. Going up the bay they increase in height. At Digby Neck they attain twenty-two feet, at Petifcodiac River fortysix feet, and at Noe! River in Cobequid Bay, fifty-three feet, the maximum. Some branch bays are left empty at ebb tide.

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mum. Some branch bays are left empty at ebb tide.

Pliny says that the saw was first invented by Daedalus, but, according to Apollodorns, it was the invention of Talus, who used the jaw bone of a crocodile to cut through a piece of wood and then made an iron instrument in imitation of it. The saw is represented on the monuments of Egypt from 2500 to 4000 B. C. As early as A. D. 1322 sawmills driven by water-power were in operation at Augsburg, and, it is believed, before this they were in operation in Paris, driven by the current of the Seine. The first sawmill erected in the Norway pineries was in 1530. Sawmills were numerous in Italy in the sixteenth century. They were not introduced into England until 1663, when a native of Holland built one, but was compelled to abandon it by the opposition of the populace, carpenters and other artisans, who saw no good in such a new-fangled contrivance.

RELIGIOUS NOTES.

In sixty years the number of Episcopal churches in Scotland has grown from 75 to 321. A clergyman in the West of England

recently prayed "that the spark of grace might be watered with the dew of blessing from on high." The sympathies of the Russian peo ple are with their fellow-memb the Greek church, and if the

continues to support the Turks he may find trouble ahead. Archbishop John J. Kain of St. Louis says that he will enforce in his arch-diocese the Catholic law prohibiting mariages between Catholics and Pro-

Scores of Quaker families in Southern Pennsylvania have preserved mariage certificates of their ances for many generations, signed the Quaker custom-by all the

at the ceremony. We read of pews in London as early as 1453, but they did not become general until the middle of the seventeenth century. There was one at Geddington, St. Mary, Northampton, for a long time, dated 1602.

Williss Warren, whose death in Georgia is anonunced, was regarded as the most influential negro preacher in the South. He was pastor of three

churches, with an aggregate me ship of 10,000. ship of 10,000.

A Scottish clergyman in Melbourne, Australia, it is said, has arrayed his male choristers in Highland dress, while the women are attired in the costumes of the "Lady of the Lake." The hymns are sung to the strains of the bagpipe, and the church is crowded.

"Inn't it time?" asked Mr. Moody.

"Isn't it time?" asked Mr. Moody, "that the church got stirred up? Let's see to it, ministers and church officers, that the Master's work is not neglected. I believe that if the business men and the newspaper men were to conduct their business in the same loose way the churches are conducted they would all smash up and go into they would all smash up and go into bankruptcy."

bankruptcy."

Leo XIII has just entered on the twentieth year of his spiritual reign, and some of the more superstitious in Rome look on the year with dread, because of the story that on the eve of his election a young Franciscan monk had a vision in which he was told that the new pope would hold office twenty years. When so old a man as Cardinal Pecci was chosen the visionary was mocked. Now some fear that his revelation will prove too precisely true.

half hours. Ordinary German express trains make 48½ miles an hour.

An exchange records a good instance of hard work performed by an electric trailway motor. A Madison City motor car, equipped with a G. E. 800 motor, was considerably overloaded. Connected to it were four trailer cars, containing not less than 500 persons, and a speed of seven miles an hour was maintained, the motor car and church of the United States, and in

If you have been unfortunate enough to have joined the large majority and suffered from an attack of la grippe or severe cold during the past week or two, do not lose any time in getting rid of the trouble by proper methods. Remember, that if you have already weak lungs, these attacks are what lead to the degelopment of tuberculosis. A timely resort to skillful treatment may prevent an unfortunate experience with consumption. For reliable effective treatment may prevent an unfortunate experience with consumption. For reliable affaird, No. 404 Stimson Block, corner Skills and the streets, Los Angeles.

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woman. But as the church does not recognize women preachers, she will not be allowed in any of its pulpits. The parish church of the Grove, on the borders of Bedfordshire and Buckinghamshire, but situated in the latter county, is said to be the smallest and most curious church in England. The parish contains under twenty inhabitants, and the church will comfortably seat a few more than that number.

And Now They Don't Speak. [Chicago Tribune:] "Brooks," said Rivers, "did you ever think what a grand figure Admiral Farragut must have been at the battle of Mobile Par?"

"Farragut? He was one of the greatest naval heroes the world ever saw!
To have seen him in that battle, Riv-

"Yes," interposed Rivers, "and how different his conduct was from that of a third cousin of mine who committed suicide a few years ago from love of a girl who had jilted him!"
"What has that got to do with Farguit?" ragut?

to the mast, and the other was mash The European hornet is much larger than the common wasp and has a tem-per in proportion to its size.

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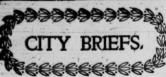
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There are undelivered telegrams at the Western Union telegraph office for Mrs. E. Dadley, William Geer, H. B. Gleason, Noel Gerome, J. Martin Mil-ler, Mrs. Eddy and William Rose.

A "corn social" is the title of the entertainment which the Ladies' Auxiliary of the Young Men's Christian Association will present to their friends on Tuesday evening of this week

The colored citizens met in mass-meeting last Saturday and protested against Chief Glass's action in remov-ing the colored janitor from the City Jail A committee of five was ap-pointed to go before the City Council and object.

PERSONALS.

T. W. Allen, a well-known mining man of Tucson, is at the Nadeau. Mr. and Mrs. John A. Weir of Detroit, Mich., are staying at the Westminster. A. Godbe, a merchant from Ensenada, Lower California, is at the Hollenbeck. Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Thompson, tour-ists from Chicago, are staying at the Nadeau.

Nadeau.

Miss Hay and Miss Nina J. Hay of Saginaw, Wis., are staying at the Westminster.

Frank R. Plaisted, the proprietor of the Riverside Enterprise, is registered at the Hollenbeck.

Charles Copenhowe, a larger owner of copper mines at Butte, Mont., is registered at the Westminster.

V. Vazette, the caterer for Harvey's restaurants on the Santa Fé route, is registered at the Hollenbeck.

Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Morgen, Frank

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The following letter from Mrs. Jessie Benton Fremont, was received some days ago by Judge Silent, and by permission it is given to the public:

"LONG BEACH, March 30, 1897.—
Dear Sir: In New York I had the honor and real happiness to be taken into the inner circle of those who could not rest seeing want unrelieved, the Santitary Commission (both West and East.) the Soldier's Orphan's Home, Sick Babies (St. John's Guild.) and perhaps the most needed and promptly met of all, the Southern Famine Relief Society, all made me know some governing truths— as applicable here as in New York. First, the subject must be worthy of help, then the relief be sure to reach those needing it, to get to them without waste or deduction beyond absolutely necessary requirements. These two points fixed, the money pours in. New York is generous in helping, and rich, and the rich give. After theiwar there was dearth of labor in the South, and a poverty we shall never know again, for only sick and disabled men, women and little children, were left on untilled lands—no usual labor left; then came drouth, then floods, then actual hunger. This appealed closely to me, for starvation and freezing had been so often the general's lot, that I suffered to know of this. Private help was too inadequate, for three States were in want. Good women began in their usual way on fairs and amateur concerts, and such. My good friends, Gen. Banks in the House, and Senator Trumbull in the Senate. I wrote to fully, and quick as it could be put through a relief bill passed both houses, sending a United States vessel with provisions, her United States flag supplemented by another with "Relief" on a white ground; and again, and again, she went on her message of peace and good will, bringing a truce to pained feelings, as well as to hunger, Gen. O. O. Howard, then in Mississippi in command of the Freedman's Bureau, was directed to share all his supplies—clothing, seeds, agricultural implements, as well as stores of food and grain. The Governors of the States were

good seed, good implements, and, only God knows, what renewed faith in Him and human nature.

"The same vein of human sympathy is sure to answer up anywhere in our rich and generous country. More or fewer people needing help do not change the case, and while being helped to earn even this scant living, the helped are giving back fourfold in the nobler feelings that they have called into active life, and the whole community will be proud of the drive which they are making. In Prague, after a time of famine, the King opened his treasury, and set the unemployed to build a wall that runs from the river up to the high hills near the Royal Palace; it is named to this day, the 'Hunger Wall.' Each time we drove over that beautiful bridge, with its wall leading nowhere, the general looked long at it saying. 'That was well done.' We need no king, for everyone with a heart to feel can give much if they have much, and the little from those having little, will be twice blest, in the giving and receiving. 'Jesse Benton Freemont.'

"JESSIE BENTON FREMONT."

An asbestos ledge has been located in San Luis Obispo county.

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OIL MEN ARE ANGRY.

Meeting of Committees Was Inhar-monious — May be Carried Into the Courts—Oil Market Tumbles. Development Throughout the

recent conference of committees added fuel to the flame instead of af-fecting an amicable adjustment of perplexing oil problems. It was expected that the good offices of the Merchants' and Manufacturers' Asso-ciation and the committee from oil consumers would result in harmonious settlement of difficulties. Oil producers claim that the meeting was inharmo-nious in the extreme and ended in violent wordy warfare.

The principal point of contention respects the burial of storage tanks. The producers declare that they will do battle for legal resurrection before Councilmanic burial can be carried into execution.

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Since the first of the month the heavier oil consumers, notably the railway companies, have been paying but \$1.15 per barrel at the well tanks. Small lots were sold in the field during the past week at as high figure as \$1.40 per barrel. The Santa Fé Railway Company is now burning coal in thirteen of its locomotives.

Within ten days two new wells have been abandoned at a depth of a few hundred feet, on accountof water and quicksand. One of these wells was in the farthest western territory and the other was in the eastern extension. It it believed that oil development within the city has reached the point of decline and the the future will witness the drilling of but few new wells within the corporate limits of Los Angeles.

Martin & Dryden have not yet se-

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Martin & Dryden have not yet secured oil in paying quantities in their new territory, three miles northeast

new territory, three miles northeast of the city.

Mr. Hedley has two drills in operation in outside territory and says he is in a fair way to sink a few thousand dollars without receiving adequate returns. One of these wells is being drilled beyond the end of Downey avenue, and the other beyond the Baptist College, one mile distant from development in the western extension.

The American Crude Oil Company will add three new wells this week to its producing properties.

EASTERN EXTENSION.

EASTERN EXTENSION. Th Slocum Oil Company has about ompleted well No. 2. There is a fair showing of oil. This company will soon showing of oil. This company will soon begin drilling operations upon well No. 3, a few feet south of the above property. A site is also being prepared for well No. 4, at the site of the burned cottage, upon the "gore" formed by New Depot and College streets.

Drilling operations are still in progress at the Joyce site, in the cañon northeast of the Maier & Zobelein wells.

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The pump was put in the Rex Oil Company's new well Thursday afternoon. The well has a depth of a little over 800 feet. The sand formation was a disappointment, it being but a few feet in thickness and carrying but little oil. A small product of water is also being pumped.

The Capital Milling Company has finally abandoned its well on the Mullally tract, in the eastern extension of the oil field. The derrick has been torn down and removed to a new site on the hillside west of New Depot street and north of College street. The grounds at the latter point are being prepared for drilling operations.

IN THE WIDE FIELD.

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The Rex Oil Company has put in the machinery and will start the drill the machinery and will start the drill at its new site west of Quebeck avenue the first of this week. O'Donnell & Whittler have removed their derrick and machinery from the quick-sand-water-hole near by. The Rex people propose making a thorough test of the stratum north of Ocean View avenue and west of Quebeck avenue. Tubing is being put in at the new Rex well, west of Bonnie Brae street and north of Ocean View avenue. There is a fair showing of oil in the drill hole.

Berry & Pennypacker are having a operations west of Bonnie Brae street. Excavations have been made and a derrick is being erected.

Young & Shaw have reached a debth of 500 feet in their new well west of Bonnie Brae street. Satisfactory progress is being made and a good showing of surface oil has been uncovered.

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A depth of 200 feet has been reached in Parker & Morrill's new well west of Bonnie Brae street.

The Rxe Oil Company has erected a new derrick west of Bonnie Brae street, strung the cable and will begin drilling operations this week.

Brookins & Akins are on top of sand at a depth of 930 feet, in their new well, on the west side of Bonnie Brae street.

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The American Oil Company's new well, west of Bonnie Brae street, is in rich oil sand and will be tubed the first of this week.

Drilling operations have been begun in the Lamb well, west of Bonnie Brae street, between Ocean View avenue and Arnold street

Parker & Morrill are having a derrick erected 100 feet north of the above property. The drill will be started this week. This property and the Lamb well mark the nearest approach to Westlake Park by the oil-developers.

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Turner Bros. have erected a derrick near the northeast corner of Ocean View avenue and Bonnie Brae street, and will start their drill this week.

The Pennsylvania Oil Company dropped its tools at a depth of 700 feet Friday. The breaking of the cable caused the accident. This property is on the south side of Ocean View avenue, east of Bonnie Brae street.

Sloan & Leslie's new well, at the southwest corner of Burlington and Ocean View avenues, is nearing the tubing stage, at a depth of nearly thirteen hundred feet.

Nelson's new well, in the rear of the Trafton property, at the northwest corner of Bonnie Brae street and Ocean View avenue, is nearing completion. Sand was reached Friday at a depth of 1045 feet. The drill will be sent down through the sand. The rock is rich in petroleum. Mr. Nelson has erected a derrick upon the lawn, near the corner of Bonnie Brae street and Ocean View avenue, and will soon begin the development of oil at his site. A third well may be drilled upon the north side of the property. Mr. Nelson says the laddes of the household have not yet decided whether to cause the house to be removed or to philosophically endure the presence of unsightly derricks. Mrs. Nelson is a daughter of Mrs. Trafton.

McCrav & Davis tubed their new well Friday. This property is situated west of Burlington avenue. They are now erecting a derrick for a second well in the immediate vicinity.

Parker & Morrill are in sand at a depth of 1000 feet, at their new site on the east side of the Bonine Brae street. There is a good showing of oil in the drill hole.

Garbut & Pitcher's new well, west of Burlington avenue, is nearing completion at a depth of 1000 feet. There is a good showing of oil fin the drill hole.

The American Crude Oil Company's new well, west of Burlington avenue,

has reached the tubing stage, at a depth of 1000 feet.

The Rummel-Oil Company's new well, just west of the above property, is nearing completion.

O'Donnell & Whittier have erected a standard rig 100 feet north of the above properties and will start their drill the first of this week.

Scott & Loftus began spudding in their new well on Burlington avenue, just north of the public school grounds Friday. Their well near by is a good producer.

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Spudding began in the new Green well Friday. This property is on the north side of the school grounds and is one of three wells yet to be drilled at this point. Derricks have been erected at all these sites, upon the lots possessing the big producer, opened by Mr. Green a few weeks ago.

The machinery is in place and the drill will be started in the new Off well about the middle of the week. This property is east of Union avenue and south of First street.

Moderate progress is being made at the site of the Van Cleve, Connell & Griffith, well, east of the above property. The present record shows a depth of 500 feet.

O'Donnell & Whittier's drill has reached a depth of 700 feet in the new Green well, near the west end of the quadrant in the western extension.

President Book of the Rex Oil Company is having sites prepared for the drilling of two new wells near the

quadrant in the western extension.

President Book of the Rex Oil Company is having sites prepared for the drilling of two new wells near the above site. The location is on the hill-side, across the cañon and east of the property of the Green syndicate.

The latest oil company to enter the field bears the timber-culture appellation of "The Underbrush Never-Sink-Tank and Noiseless Spudding Petroleum Company. As less than a thousand pounds of steam will be carried, it is expected that this institution will be given a wide berth by the tenderfeet inspectors. This syndicate is headed by some of the most prominent oil-producers in the district. A derrick has been erected west of Burlington avenue and active development will be under way within a few days.

Fletcher & Daggett have a fishing job on hand at their new well, near the northwest corner of First street and Lakeshore avenue. The tools were dropped Friday, at a depth of 950 feet. The well promises to become a good producer.

Work is still progressing at the sites of the Bayer & Last, Parker & Morrill and Ellsworth wells, in the vicinity of West State street and Lakeshore avenue.

The Los Angeles Railway Company

West State street and Lakeshot nue.

The Los Angeles Railway Company has started the drill at its new well site on Angelina street, between North Figueroa street and Beaudry avenue.

Sloan & Leslie have erected a derrick west of Union avenue and will begin drilling operations within a few days.

The Pasadena and Pacific Railway Company's new well, near the Unionavenue schoolhouse, is nearing the tubing stage.

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Workmen are still engaged upon the new Wylie well, east of Union avenue.

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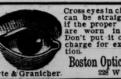
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